

**CHEVROLET**  
1935 STANDARD MODELS  
**SOLD OUT.**

Only 2 Master DeLuxe Sedans  
w/Built-in Trunk available.

**£205**

It will not be long now when you  
will have to pay much more for  
a 1936 model.

**FAR EAST MOTORS**  
26 Nathan Road, Kowloon  
Telephone 59101.

Manager  
"Hongkong Telegraph"  
for The South China Morning Post, Ltd.  
1 & 3, Wyndham Street, Hongkong.

# The Hongkong Telegraph

FOUNDED 1881  
No. 14858

六拜禮 號八廿九三英港香

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1936.

Dollar T. T.—1s. 3½d. (thom).  
T.T. On New York—\$1.15/16.  
Lighting Up Time—6.30 p.m.  
High Water—12.20  
Low Water—10.59

SWITZER CO.

日六初月三

SINGLE COPY 10 CENTS  
\$35.00 PER ANNUM

NEW  
SPRING  
FASHIONS  
ARRIVING  
EVERY MAIL  
STRAWS,  
FELTS, ETC.  
From \$6.50

Whiteway-Laidlaw & Co., Ltd.

## U.S. MAY REVISE PACIFIC POLICY

### FORTIFICATION NECESSARY TO PROTECT TRADE INTERESTS

### JAPANESE BLAMED FOR THREAT TO PEACE

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1906. Received, Mar. 28, 10.45 a.m.)

Washington, Mar. 27.

Observers here believe America's Far Eastern policies may be revised when the Washington Naval Treaty expires on December 31, 1936.

The new three-power London Treaty leaves the nations the right to pile up forts and guns as they desire in their Far East possessions. Whether the United States will take advantage of this opportunity depends upon whether she decides to remain an important Far Eastern power.

From a purely naval technical viewpoint the Hawaiian and Philippine fortifications are becoming obsolete. However, Guam and other American points in the Pacific at present unfortified, could be used as powerful strategic outposts if desired.

When the Washington Treaty was signed in 1921, the Powers agreed to preserve the status quo in the Pacific and established a five-five-three naval ratio which gave Japan equality in battle in Far Eastern waters, where she was near her base of operation. It was further agreed that there would be no further fortification of Pacific points.

Peace Crumbling

The edifice of peace commenced to crumble in 1931 when the Japanese Army swept into Manchuria and it collapsed still further when the Japanese restricted the trade of foreign powers in Manchuria.

The carefully built peace foundation further disintegrated when the Japanese withdrew from the London naval conference this year.

Meanwhile the United States had been appealed to to remain in the Pacific arena when she granted the Philippines—a principal base of naval operations in the Far East—the independence of the islands desired.

America's Policy

America's policy in the Pacific was based in the past on the belief that China was potentially the world's richest market and should be kept open to American exports at all costs.

Since some members of the Administration maintain that if America complied with the rules of the Far East game for economic reasons a strong Pacific fleet would be necessary, it is possible that the United States' possessions across the ocean may be further fortified.

However, if it is not economically valuable the United States Pacific fleet strength might be limited to a force sufficient to repel any invasion of the Hawaiian Islands or the mainland of America, including the Alaskan territory.—United Press.

Queen Mother Honoured

OFFICE OF GREAT DISTINCTION

London, Mar. 27.

Queen Mary has been appointed Grand Master of the Order of the British Empire, a most unusual distinction, as the office has never previously been held by a woman.

King Edward VIII relinquished the Grand Mastership when he became King and automatically Sovereign of the Order.

Queen Mary is already a Dame Grand Cross of the Order and now becomes Grand Master and Principal Dame Grand Cross.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

KING'S NEW RANK

London, Mar. 27.

In his Majesty the King has assumed the rank of Colonel-in-Chief of the Royal Marines. For the first time yesterday the Royal Marines stood guard over the Queen in the Palace.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

FEAR OF FRESH CLASHES

JAPANESE MASS ON FRONTIER

MOSCOW REPORT OF FIGHTING

(Special To "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph. Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1906. Received, March 28, 10.45 a.m.)

Moscow, Mar. 28.

An official Ulanbator despatch states that Japanese and Manchukuoan soldiers are concentrating in the Outer Mongolian frontier district, near Lake Bulir. The third armed clash of the week is therefore expected.

It is stated that once this week three truck-loads of Japanese attacked a Mongolian frontier post but were repulsed.

Again, on Tuesday, 200 Japanese fired on a post with rifles and machine-guns and artillery.

At daybreak on Thursday the Japanese troops crossed the river Khalkha and occupied a Soviet post but retreated to Manchukuo and quietly when a Mongolian war plane flew over their position.—United Press.

BRITISH SOCIAL SERVICES

ESTIMATES FOR NEXT FINANCE YEAR

London, Mar. 22.

Estimates for the next financial year for Health and Labour Insurance, at £102,724,365, and for trade and industry at £15,890,825, show decreases of £4,064,219 and £2,387,674 respectively, compared with the total estimates for the current year.

The total estimates, however, include supplementaries introduced during the year, amounting to nearly seven million pounds in each case.

Estimates of the amount required for grants to the Unemployment Fund and the National Assistance Fund, at £5,000,000, are £5,150,000 less than for the present year, indicating the marked improvement in employment which has occurred in the last twelve months.—British Wireless Service.

London, Mar. 27.

In the absence of Colonel-in-Chief of the Royal Marines stood guard over the Queen in the Palace.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

ETHIOPIA AGAIN PROTESTS

RED CROSS UNIT ESCAPES BOMBS

BUT NATIVES ARE SLAIN

Addis Ababa, Mar. 27.

The Swedish ambulance unit on the Southern Ethiopian front is reported to have been partly destroyed during the heavy bombardment of Gobba, in Bale Province, this morning.

The unit affected is apparently that under the command of Dr. Hylander, which was bombed with loss of life near Dolo in December. The Swedish Government lodged a sharp protest on that occasion.—Reuter.

AMBULANCES ESCAPE

Paris, Mar. 27.

The Italian air raid over Gobba resulted in many native casualties, it is reported, but the Swedish ambulance unit took refuge in the forest and none was injured.

The Ethiopian Red Cross has lodged another protest with the League of Nations as a result of this bombardment.

It is stated that once this week three truck-loads of Japanese attacked a Mongolian frontier post but were repulsed.

Again, on Tuesday, 200 Japanese fired on a post with rifles and machine-guns and artillery.

At daybreak on Thursday the Japanese troops crossed the river Khalkha and occupied a Soviet post but retreated to Manchukuo and quietly when a Mongolian war plane flew over their position.—United Press.

Labour Keeps Llanelli

SOUND MAJORITY IN BY-ELECTION

London, March 27.

Labour retained Llanelli at the by-election caused by the death of Mr. J. H. Williams, who was returned unopposed at the General Election.

The result of the poll was declared to-day as follows:

Mr. James Griffith (Lab.) 32,188

Mr. W. A. Jenkins (Nat.) 15,987

Lab. majority ..... 16,221

Mr. Griffith is the President of the South Wales Miners' Federation, while Mr. Jenkins was formerly an M.P.

At the last contested election, in 1931, Labour had a majority of 10,033.—Reuter Special.

FRANCO-SOVIET PACT

Paris, March 27.

M. Flandin, French Foreign Minister, and M. Litvinoff, Russian Foreign Commissar, today exchanged ratifications of the Franco-Soviet Pact, which became operative to-day.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

Ready To Grant New Reprieve

Hauptmann Case Reeks Of Unfairness and Passion

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

Trenton, March 27.

Governor Hoffman has issued a statement to the effect that when he reprieved Bruno Hauptmann, condemned to die for the murder of the Lindbergh baby, he believed he had no legal right to grant a second reprieve.

If the Federal authorities will advise me that I have the right to reprieve a second time I shall be glad to exercise it. I am firmly convinced that Hauptmann was not given a trial in line with what we consider American standards of justice, but the whole affair reeks of unfairness, passion and prejudice.

I believe other persons were connected with the crime and that the state police are making no honest effort to find them.

I think it would be healthy to have a legislative investigation of the Governor, the Attorney-General, the State Police, the Prosecutor and other participants in the Lindbergh case.—United Press.

STRATEGIC MOVE

Addis Ababa, Mar. 27.

Emperor Haile Selassie, who is personally commanding the great bulk

of the Ethiopian army, has moved with a mass of men from Khoram to a point near Sokota, 100 miles east of Gondar, thus strengthening its strategic position.—Reuter.

AMBULANCES ESCAPE

Paris, Mar. 27.

The Italian air raid over Gobba resulted in many native casualties, it is reported, but the Swedish ambulance unit took refuge in the forest and none was injured.

The Ethiopian Red Cross has lodged another protest with the League of Nations as a result of this bombardment.

It is stated that once this week three truck-loads of Japanese attacked a Mongolian frontier post but were repulsed.

Again, on Tuesday, 200 Japanese fired on a post with rifles and machine-guns and artillery.

At daybreak on Thursday the Japanese troops crossed the river Khalkha and occupied a Soviet post but retreated to Manchukuo and quietly when a Mongolian war plane flew over their position.—United Press.

Labour Keeps Llanelli

MR. W. E. MEADOWS IS TYPHOID VICTIM

The Hongkong Police Force has lost a capable and zealous officer by the death, which occurred from typhoid at the Government Civil Hospital this morning, of Acting Sub-Inspector William Edward Meadows, at the age of 35 years.

The deceased, who was unmarried, came to Hongkong from Northampton in 1931, had for the greater part of his service been attached to the Criminal Investigation Department, though latterly he served with the Special Branch.

He had been several times commended by the I.C.I. for meritorious service—in connection with an armed robbery at Quarry Bay, robbery on a junk at Joas House, Bay, and an attack on a woman at Tsimshau Street, Shamshuipo.

He had been recommended by the Governor for good work at the C.I.D., and in 1932 he received the commendation of the naval authorities for service at Blas Bay.

The funeral takes place this afternoon, arriving at the St. Babette Road entrance of the cemetery at 2.30 p.m.

FRANCO-SOVIET PACT

Paris, March 27.

M. Flandin, French Foreign Minister, and M. Litvinoff, Russian Foreign Commissar, today exchanged ratifications of the Franco-Soviet Pact, which became operative to-day.—Reuter's Bulletin Service.

QUICK WORK

London, Mar. 27.

The Cunard-White Star liner Queen Mary, having reached

Southampton early this morning, this afternoon at high tide moved into the world's largest graving dock—the King George V Dock, specially constructed for the reception of the Queen Mary and ships of similar or greater size up to 100,000 tons.

Immediately afterwards, pumping operations started to drain 260,000 gallons of water out of the basin. The docking of the great liner was carried out without a hitch, only 25 minutes elapsing between the opening and closing of the lock gate.—British Wireless.

THOUSANDS WELCOME NEW LINER

COMMANDER'S HIGH PRAISE

QUEEN MARY AT SOUTHAMPTON

(Special To "Telegraph")

London, Mar. 27.

Tens of thousands of people journeyed to Southampton to witness the arrival of the giant Cunard liner Queen Mary at her home port from the north. Special trains ran from London.

The towering ship entered the graving dock safely.

Sir Edgar Britten, the captain of the Queen Mary, when interviewed by Reuter, was obviously delighted with the voyage from the Clyde. He said, "She is the finest ship to handle in the rural districts."

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

Their suspicion that the manner in which they mark their ballots may be perceived by scrutineers does not appear to be well founded, but it is likely to have a considerable effect, especially in the rural districts.

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

Their suspicion that the manner in which they mark their ballots may be perceived by scrutineers does not appear to be well founded, but it is likely to have a considerable effect, especially in the rural districts.

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

Their suspicion that the manner in which they mark their ballots may be perceived by scrutineers does not appear to be well founded, but it is likely to have a considerable effect, especially in the rural districts.

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

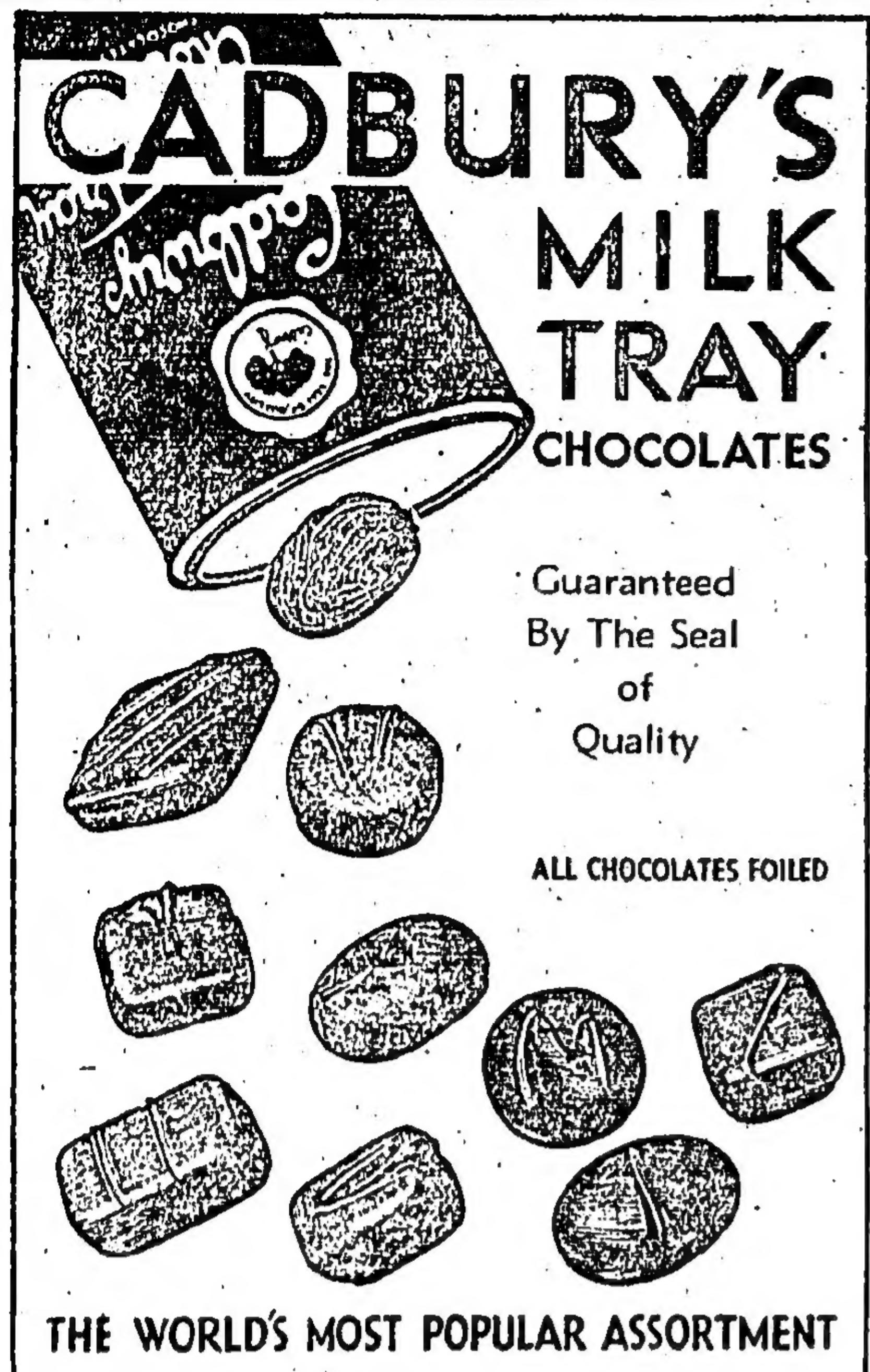
Their suspicion that the manner in which they mark their ballots may be perceived by scrutineers does not appear to be well founded, but it is likely to have a considerable effect, especially in the rural districts.

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

Their suspicion that the manner in which they mark their ballots may be perceived by scrutineers does not appear to be well founded, but it is likely to have a considerable effect, especially in the rural districts.

Many voters believe their votes are likely to be compelled, and they are voting "Yes" to be on the safe side.

Their suspicion



"Uncle Eddie's" senior prize in the Children's Competition this week is a Compendium of Games.

### New Beauty Secret TRANSFORMS DULL TEETH

Thousands are giving up ineffective methods and are adopting the Kolyne's antiseptic cleansing method for their teeth. All you do is put just a half-inch of Kolyne's on a dry brush. Quickly dingy stains disappear. Germs that cause tooth decay are destroyed and your teeth gleam like polished jewels. Give your teeth the Kolyne's beauty treatment and your teeth will have now lustre and natural whiteness that brighten the whole appearance of your smile. Economy—buy the large tube.

**KOLYNE'S**  
DENTAL CREAM



THE  
**HONGKONG**  
PENINSULA HOTEL:  
HONGKONG HOTEL: REPULSE BAY HOTEL:  
PEAK HOTEL



&  
**SHANGHAI**  
ASTOR HOUSE; PALACE HOTEL;  
**HOTELS**  
LIMITED.

In association with the Grand Hotel des Wagons Lits, Peking.

**RUNNEMEDE HOTEL, LTD., PENANG.**

**CRAG HOTEL,**  
Penang Hills  
(2,400 feet above sea-level).



Refreshment Rooms.  
(near summit station)  
Hill Railway.

"THE ISLAND'S MOST EFFICIENT SERVICE"  
**RUNNEMEDE HOTEL**

On Sea Front.

Private Cars for Excursions Anywhere.

Caterers etc. to Imperial Airways.  
Meals are interchangeable, no extra cost wherever you have your breakfast, luncheon, tea, or dinner.

Rooms of both hotels have private bathrooms and modern sanitation. At the Runnemede each room has its own public telephone.

The Runnemede Restaurant has undeniably pride of place among hotels of the East with its cuisine and menu claims by its association to offer the traveller such as is not to be found elsewhere.

## £10,000,000 SURPLUS?

*British Treasury Surprised by Death Duty Windfalls*

### NO INCREASE IN TAXATION

#### INQUIRY FOR CHEAPER WHISKY

**BRITAIN IS HEADING FOR A £10,000,000 BUDGET SURPLUS. THE BALANCE-SHEET IS ALREADY £5,000,000 BETTER THAN IT WAS A YEAR AGO.**

Of this amount, income-tax payers have contributed nearly £3,000,000 more than a year ago, and there are still six weeks to the end of the financial year.

Only another £10,000,000 a week is required from income-tax payers between now and the end of the month to help the Chancellor reach his estimates.

But income-tax will doubtless yield more than that. £15,000,000 a week was being paid by income-tax payers a few weeks ago.

Treasury officials have been surprised at the huge amounts that are coming in from death duties.

These have already yielded over £6,000,000 more than a year ago.

There are two main reasons for this.

**Rise in Values**  
One is that the value of land and securities has risen with the industrial revival.

The other is that the middle-class population is growing.

The number of people who now leave enough money to render their estates liable to Duties is twice as many as before the war.

Revenue from Customs Duties is nearly £10,000,000 more than a year ago.

Excise Duties have yielded £1,700,000 more than a year ago. Expenditure is growing, too.

**Tax Reduction**

The extra payments to the unemployed and emergency spending on the reorganisation of the defence system has involved an increase of £17,000,000 on the expenditure side of the Budget.

But revenue is up by well over £22,000,000, so that no increase in taxation need be feared.

On the other hand, reductions of taxation are possible.

In any case, income-tax payers will pay less under the new Budget.

This is under a concession which was passed in last year's Budget, but only comes into operation this year.

The Chancellor has caused the Treasury officials to investigate the whisky tax in order to see if a reduction would lead to increased sales.

An inquiry is also being made to see if a further reduction of tax on the cheaper cinema seats is possible.

### Heart Diseases Are Bogies

Vienna, Mar. 24.

If you feel a pain in your heart, don't worry; there is nothing the matter with your central organ, says Professor K. F. Wenckebach of the Vienna University, Austria's foremost authority on heart diseases.

This prominent specialist in a lecture on patients suffering from non-existent heart diseases maintained that, as a rule, cardiac diseases are not felt at the heart but in distant organs.

If a patient clutches his heart in great pain, the experienced doctor knows at once that it is nothing serious, but merely nervous trouble, according to Wenckebach.—United Press.

### TRIUMPH FOR COLMAN



RONALD COLMAN  
Divides the doublets in "Tale of Two Cities" to make a film with the Colman we all admired. (See review on Entertainment Page.)

### TROPPING THE COLOURS: ON JUNE 23

London, Mar. 23.

The ceremony of trooping the colour will take place on the King's birthday on June 23. The ceremony will take place, as usual, on the Horse-Guards Parade and the King then, for the first time since his accession, will ride at the head of his troops back to Buckingham Palace.

It will be recalled the King, when Prince of Wales, acted for his father at the trooping of the colour, two years ago and rode at the head of the Guards on their march from the Horse Guards Parade to Buckingham Palace, where he took the salute at the march past.

**Mussolini Abandons Culture Sanctions**

Rome, Mar. 5.  
Italy abolished her "intellectual sanctions" to-day.

In the first stages of the Italo-Ethiopian war, when the League of Nations decreed the punishment of Italy by financial and economic sanctions, Italy retaliated by forbidding the performance of plays, musical productions, and movies from sanctionist nations and the introduction of books written by nationals of such countries.

To-day the Ministry of Press and Propaganda, according to the communiqué, "imparted the necessary order for re-establishing the normal situation of the exchanges of the works of genius"—Associated Press.

You can't hide your hands when you play bridge



**La Cross**  
CRIME NAIL POLISH  
and be at your ease

overcomes brittleness in the nails  
covers nail imperfections  
a more beautiful shade  
gives a higher luster  
lasts longer  
won't fade  
won't crack

**La Cross**  
Crime nail polish

National String Instruments



WE HAVE A COMPLETE STOCK OF NATIONAL STEEL GUITARS, UKULELES AND MANDOLINES AND ALL NATIONAL ACCESSORIES SUCH AS CASES, STRING, SLIDES AND PICKS.

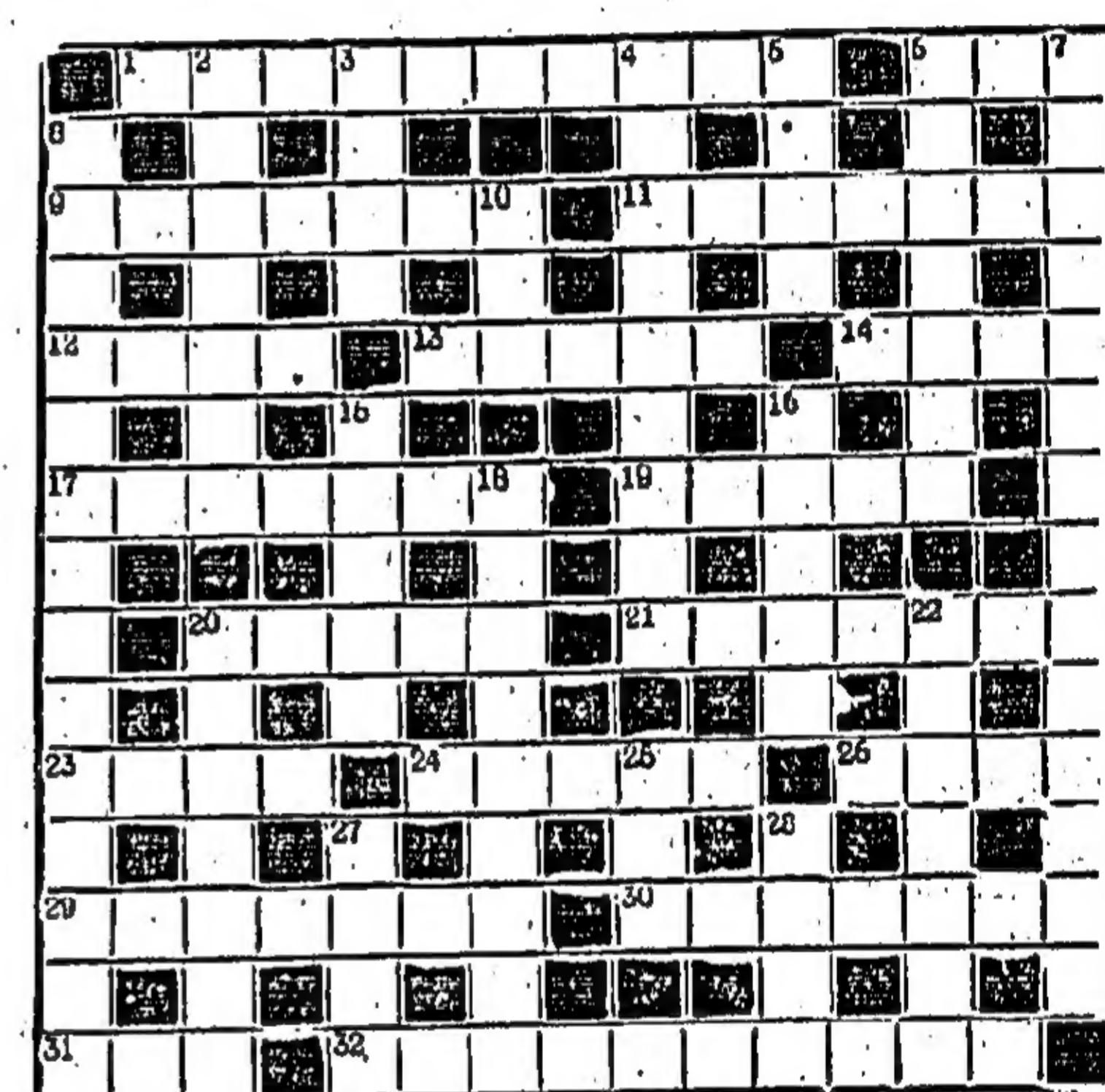
SEND FOR AN ILLUSTRATED BOOKLET OR CALL AND INSPECT WHICH EVER INSTRUMENTS OR ACCESSORIES YOU ARE INTERESTED IN

THERE IS NO SUBSTITUTE FOR A "NATIONAL"

**TSANG FOOK PIANO CO.**

9 Ice House Street,  
Hongkong.

### OUR BRITISH CROSSWORDS



#### ACROSS

- 1 Crab it, miss (anag.)
- 2 Devoted to the drama in London when old.
- 3 This fish is the same as the marlin.
- 4 The fifth that comes when the first finishes.
- 5 Oaks are a feature of this village.
- 6 A cure salt—if properly mixed.
- 7 Tap his cargo men (anag.)
- 8 You can't escape from organs in this country.
- 9 In this county.
- 10 This fish is the same as the marlin.
- 11 The fifth that comes when the first finishes.
- 12 Oaks are a feature of this village.
- 13 A cure salt—if properly mixed.
- 14 Dregs that, float.
- 15 Hot replies, probably.
- 16 Proverbially, shaky, like the author's means of support.
- 17 The answer to the second part of the question is in the negative."
- 18 The nautical animal.
- 19 Drawing—never framed.
- 20 Doubtless, this is what Balbus would have taken with his whisky—if he'd had any whisky.
- 21 Modulate.
- 22 Ask in a place where they sing.
- 23 As a class, motorists do not approve of this silencer.
- 24 One taken in a score of the places where they sing.
- 25 What the Yankees call sand.

Yesterday's Solution

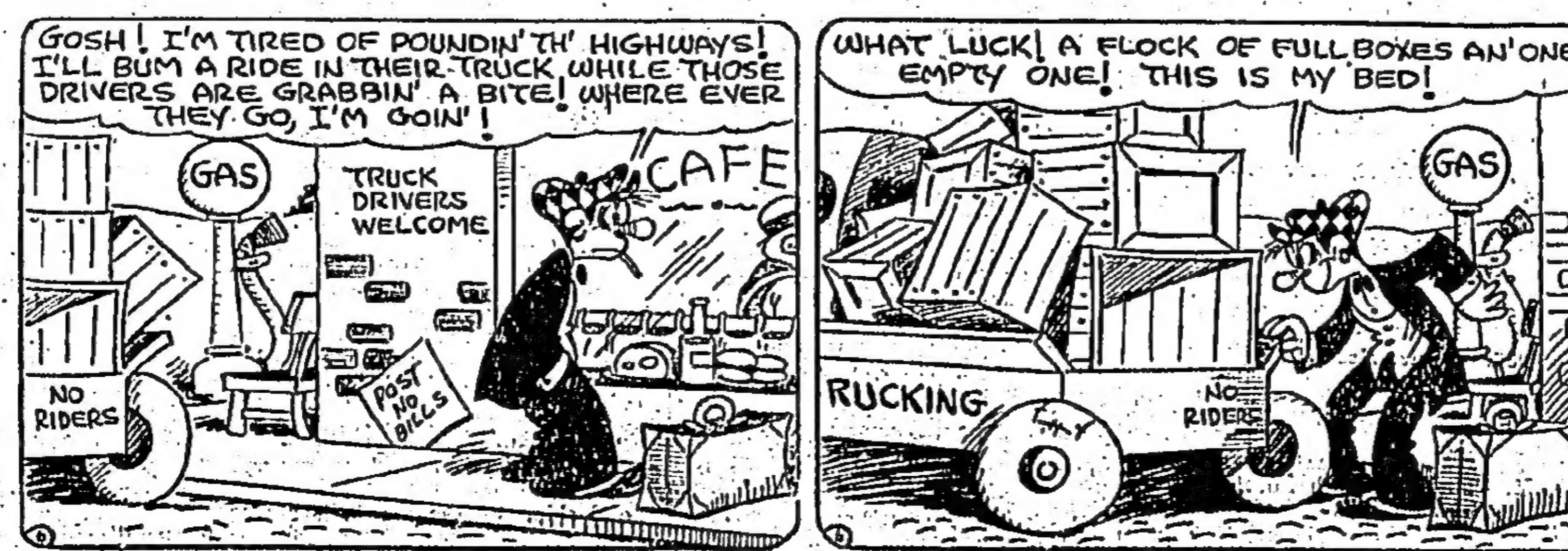
- BRIEFS ■ IROQUOIS  
D ■ N ■ O ■ A ■ U ■ T ■ A  
E ■ N ■ S ■ U ■ R ■ E ■ C ■ R ■ E ■ A ■ T ■ I ■ O ■ N  
L ■ I ■ O ■ T ■ E ■ F ■ I ■ C ■ I  
L ■ E ■ M ■ O ■ N ■ P ■ A ■ R ■ A ■ G ■ U ■ N ■ C ■ Y  
I ■ N ■ I ■ G ■ I ■ L ■ L ■ S ■ Y  
U ■ S ■ I ■ N ■ G ■ D ■ U ■ M ■ B ■ L ■ E  
M ■ A ■ B ■ E ■ I ■ J ■ A ■ T ■ E  
B ■ A ■ T ■ A ■ R ■ T ■ S ■ M ■ A ■ D ■ G ■ E  
D ■ P ■ R ■ G ■ E ■ Y ■ E ■ O ■ R  
O ■ V ■ E ■ R ■ P ■ O ■ W ■ E ■ R ■ J ■ O ■ R ■ U ■ M  
W ■ L ■ I ■ I ■ Y ■ U ■ N ■ I  
S ■ T ■ O ■ P ■ C ■ O ■ C ■ P ■ I ■ O ■ N  
E ■ T ■ K ■ R ■ E ■ C ■ C ■ N ■ U  
R ■ E ■ A ■ S ■ E ■ S ■ D ■ E ■ G ■ I ■ N ■ S ■ E ■ S

#### DOWN

- 1 It is, seemingly, at a gentleman of colour that gets shot off so frequently.
- 2 Dry.
- 3 You can't do it if you've bitten off more than you can chew.
- 4 This age is dated.
- 5 I hide between two vessels in the palace.

### By Small

#### SALESMAN SAM

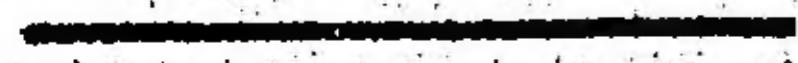


#### On His Way



#### Teething troubles

Because SCOTT'S Emulsion contains 44% of pure cod liver oil and lime salts for bone formation. It prevents teething troubles, rickets and soft bones. Ask for genuine SCOTT'S EMULSION.





# CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

25 WORDS \$1.50 for 3 DAYS PREPAID  
50 cents for Every Additional Day  
Alternate Insertions 20% Extra.  
If Not Prepaid a Booking Fee of  
50 cents is Charged.

## WANTED KNOWN.

ANDREY'S BEAUTY PARLOUR,  
Gloucester Arcade. Phone 27973.  
Most Elaborate Equipment, Expert  
service, up-to-date Terms and Reasonable  
Prices. Export European  
Operators.

AT HENRY & CO., Gloucester  
Arcade No. 3, End of Season stock  
clearance, Dresses, Gowns, Coats and  
furn. All prices marked down below  
cost for a definite clearance. 10  
Days only commencing 25th, March.

## TO LET

TO LET—Nos. 3 and 4 King's Park  
Buildings, Austin Road, Kowloon,  
four-roomed Flats. Hot and Cold  
water. Garage Optional. Apply  
Union Trading Co., York Building,  
Telephone 27738.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

### LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following are yesterday's mid-day closing prices in London received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits in conjunction with Reuters.  
1½% Bond 1898 (Eng.) £102½  
1½% Loan 1908 £98½  
5% Loan 1912 £83  
5% Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn.) £83  
5% Gold Bonds 1926-47 £85½  
5% Shill-Nanking Rly. £72½  
5% Tients-Pukow Rly. Brit. Std. £52  
5% Tient-Pukow Rly. Ger. Std. £48  
5% (Supl. Loan) British Std. £60½  
5% (Supl. Loan) German Std. £47  
5% Hukung Rly. 1911 £64½  
5% Lung Tsin U. Hat Rly. 1913 £31  
Union Insurance Soc. of Canton Waterworks "A" £86  
Shanghai Electric Contr. 46/ Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bear) 11/3  
H.K. & Shan Bk. (Ldn.) £101½  
Charid. Bk. of I.A. & C. £14½  
Chosen Corp. 9/3  
Pekin Synd. 2/-  
Gula Kalumpang Rubber 20/-

## RADIO BROADCAST

(Continued from Page 7)

Mr. Walzer (Strauss); The Maid of the Mountains—Walz (Fraser-Simson).

9.15-9.30 p.m. From the Studio. "St. Francis Xavier and Sancian Island" by Rev. Father R. J. Cairns, M.M.

9.30-9.40 p.m. Richard Tauber (Tenor).

1. Vienna City of my dreams ("Heart's Desire") (Locken); 2. Let me awaken your heart ("Heart's Desire") (Tauber); 3. Good Night, Oh my Love! (Aht); 4. 9.40-10 p.m. From the Studio. A Pianoforte Recital by Harry Orr. Programme.

1. Two Bagatelles, Op. 33 Beethoven; 2. Scherzo in E Minor Mendelssohn; 3. Mazurka in D Chopin; 4. The Jugglers' Mooskovsky; 5. The Juggler Toch; 6. Dounka (Russian Rustic Scene) Tschalkovsky. 10-10.30 p.m. Dance Music. 10.30 p.m. Close Down.

*A Selection of Useful Shoes*

\$2.90 2961-29

\$3.50 592-56

\$5.90 1525-35

\$5.90 5525-33

\$6.90 197-28

## CHURCH NOTICES

### METHODIST CHURCH

Mr. F. Barnes to Preach To-morrow

#### PASSION SUNDAY

The following are the forthcoming services, etc., at the English Methodist Church, Queen's Road East, Wan Chai, Hongkong. Passion Sunday, March 29.

## NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

### UNION WATERBOAT COMPANY LIMITED.

#### Notice to Shareholders.

The Thirty-first Annual General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Offices of Messrs. Dodwell & Co. Ltd., Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Building, on Wednesday, 8th April, 1936, at noon for the purpose of receiving the report of the General Manager together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1935. The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from 28th March to 8th April, 1936, both days inclusive.

DODWELL & CO. LTD.  
General Managers.

Hongkong, 18th March, 1936.

### CHINA ENTERTAINMENT & LAND INVESTMENT CO. LTD.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Sixth Ordinary General Meeting of Shareholders will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, King's Theatre Building, 5th floor, on Monday, the 30th day of March, 1936, at 12 o'clock noon, to receive the Directors' Report, and Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1935, to elect Directors and Auditors and to transact such other business as may be properly transacted at an Ordinary General Meeting of the Company.

And notice is further hereby given that the register and transfer books of the Company will be closed from the 23rd to the 30th day of March, 1936, both days inclusive.

LIANG CHI HAO,  
Managing Director.  
Hongkong, 19th March, 1936.

#### NOTICE.

Notice is given that for the present no permits will be issued to move dogs or to from Kowloon and the New Territories.

M. J. REIDY,  
Colonial Veterinary Surgeon.

### HONGKONG & WHAMPOA DOCK CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Ordinary Yearly Meeting of Shareholders will be held in the Office of the Company, 2, Queen's Building, Hong Kong, on Monday, 30th March, 1936, at Noon, for consideration of the Directors' Report and Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1935.

The Share Register and Transfer Books will be closed from the 21st to 30th March, 1936, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board of Directors,

E. COCK,  
Chief Manager.  
Hongkong, 12th March, 1936.

### MEN: OVERWORKED GLANDS

#### MAY LET YOU DOWN IN A CRISIS:

Nine men out of ten past middle age are affected with Loss of Vitality, Mental Fag, Restlessness, and Claudian Weakness. Medical Science has come to their rescue.

with

### POLISEX

Tired men and women should know about POLISEX, the REJUVENATOR that positively rebuilds wasted tissues, and stimulates ductless glands into perfect functioning.

There is but one way to heaven, harmony, and Christ in divine Science shows us this way. It is to know no other reality—to have no other consciousness of life—than good, God, and His reflection, and to rise superior to the so-called pain and pleasure of the senses." (Pages 241 & 242).

Announcements

(A Branch of the Mother Church, The First Church of Christ, Scientist, in Boston, Mass.).

Macdonald Road, below Bowen Road Train Station.

Sunday Service, 11.15 a.m.

Sunday School, 10 a.m.

Testimonial Meeting: Wednesdays, 6 p.m.

Reading Room is located at above address and is open:

Monday and Thursday: 5.30 to 7 p.m.

Tuesday and Friday: 10 to 12 noon.

All authorized Christian Science Literature is available at the Reading Room.

The Public is cordially invited to attend the Service and visit the Reading Room.

### PHARMACEUTICALS (PAR EAST), LTD.

306 Gloucester Building

## LET'S EAT—! . . . WHERE?

### -KING'S RESTAURANT —of course!

#### Morning Coffee Tiffins Teas Dinners

Mezzanine Floor  
King's Theatre Building.

### CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

#### COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Steamship,

"LT. SAINT LOUBERT BIE"

Bringing Cargo from Dunkirk & arrived Hongkong on the 22nd March, 1936.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 2nd April, 1936, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyor.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL  
Agent.

Hongkong, 22nd March, 1936.

### SERVICES CONTRACTUELS DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

The Steamship,

"ANDRE LEBON"

Bringing Cargo from Marseilles & arrived Hongkong on Wednesday, the 25th March, 1936.

Consignees are hereby informed that their goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuables are being landed and stored into the Godowns of the Hongkong Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.

All claims must be sent in to me on or before Saturday, 4th April, 1936, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyor.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL  
Agent.

Hongkong, 26th March, 1936.

### FROM EUROPE AND STRAITS.

The Steamship,

"HAKUSAN MARU."

having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk in the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained.

Two years ago Joe Penner was just another vaudeville comedian travelling the circuits from coast to coast and putting on his "Wanna Buy a Duck" act three times a day. To-day, after one of the most remarkable rises to stardom in recent theatrical history, Penner is one of the nation's favourite comedians, star of both radio and screen. His second picture, "Page Miss Glory" was a big hit on the Broadway stage, Mervyn LeRoy, one of Warner Bros. directors, fresh from his triumph with "Oil for the Lamps of China," directed the film version which was written by Delmer Daves and Robert Riskin, the original of Joseph Cotten and Philip Dunning. A new song, also bearing the title "Page Miss Glory," written by Hollywood's leading team of hit writers, Warren and Dubin, is sung as a duet by Miss Davies and Dick Powell.

"College"

Two years ago Joe Penner was just another vaudeville comedian travelling the circuits from coast to coast and putting on his "Wanna Buy a Duck" act three times a day. To-day, after one of the most remarkable rises to stardom in recent theatrical history, Penner is one of the nation's favourite comedians, star of both radio and screen. His second picture, "Page Miss Glory" was a big hit on the Broadway stage, Mervyn LeRoy, one of Warner Bros. directors, fresh from his triumph with "Oil for the Lamps of China," directed the film version which was written by Delmer Daves and Robert Riskin, the original of Joseph Cotten and Philip Dunning. A new song, also bearing the title "Page Miss Glory," written by Hollywood's leading team of hit writers, Warren and Dubin, is sung as a duet by Miss Davies and Dick Powell.

against the world in the screen play from Liam O'Flaherty's novel of the same name, battles himself against the unyielding traditions of his people. In this tale which tells with searching humour and vital tragedy of the inevitable self-annihilation of the brute, Victor McLaglen receives powerful support from a cast that includes Margaret Gruham, Heather Angel, Preston Foster, Una O'Connor, and Wallace Ford. "The Informer," RKO-Radio Picture, was produced by John Ford, who directed "The Lost Patrol."

"Les Misérables"

All the powerful drama of Victor Hugo's great classic will be shown on the screen at the Oriental Theatre on Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, starring David Niven, Zanuck's magnificent 20th Century production of "Les Misérables." This thrilling and dramatic story of a hunted man will hold

## CINEMA NOTES

"Stars Over Broadway," Warner Bros.' new musical spectacle, commences to-day at the Queen's Theatre, with an all-star cast, including Pat O'Brien, James Melton, Jane Froman, Jean Muir, Frank McHugh and Frank Fay. The plot concerns the rise and fall, the loves and the struggles of Broadway singers with an inner glimpse of the hidden portals of the Broadway casting stations. There is a large variety of musical numbers, including new and catchy airs by Harry Warren and Al Dubin, famous song-writers, and selections from the compositions by Schubert, Verdi and Von Flotow. Two beautiful and spectacular specialty numbers were created for the picture by two of the country's best known dance directors, Busby Berkeley and Bob Connolly. Pat O'Brien and Jean Muir play opposite each other. Miss Muir appears for the first time in film. Incidentally, in this picture the love affairs of Pat O'Brien and Miss Muir have a happy ending. Both stars have been noted for their unfortunate film romances. This film introduces to the picture public two famous radio stars, James Melton and Jane Froman, who play their real life roles in the picture that of radio entertainers. Frank McHugh, who plays that part of a song singer. Others in the cast include William Powell, Marie Wilson, Frank Fay, E. G. Clive and Eddie Conrad. The story by Mildred Cram is a thrilling drama interspersed with riotous laughs and carrying a glamorous romance. William Keighley directed the picture.

#### "A Tale of Two Cities"

Truly magnificent in its spectacular sweep, yet absorbing in its delightful intimacy, "A Tale of Two Cities," starring Ronald Colman, opened a limited engagement to-day at the King's and Alhambra Theatres. It takes its place among the immortal works of the screen, entertainment which cannot be praised too highly. It is a photoplay that no man, woman or child can afford to miss. William Colman's fans will find him at his best. He never has had a role which gave him such opportunity for quiet humour, the high drama and the poignancy he expresses so well. Sydney Carton, whimsical, sardonic, brilliant wistful, he reaches the peak of this article's career. The story of "A Tale of Two Cities" is intimately known to millions of readers. It tells of the joys and sorrows, the adventures and the trials of a little group of people, English and French, who are caught in the maelstrom of the French Revolution of 1789. Specifically it tells of the strange love of Carton and Lucie Manette, played by Elizabeth Allan a love that was doomed to frustration in life, yet which transcends death in its sublime mystery. With the star is a cast of 122 stars and featured players, most of them world favourites. Among these outstanding performances are contributed by Miss Allan, Edna May Oliver, Rosalind Owen, Basil Rathbone, Blanche Yurka, Henry B. Walthall, Donald Woods, Walter Catlett, Fritz Leiber, H. B. Warner, Mitchell Lewis, Claude Gillingwater, Billy Bevan, Isabel Jewell, Lucille LaVerne and Tully Marshall.

"Page Miss Glory"

Charming Marion Davies, America's outstanding motion picture star, will appear at the Star Theatre on Sunday in "Page Miss Glory" her first Cosmopolitan Picture to be released by Warner Bros. Supporting Miss Davies is a remarkable all-star cast of famous "name players" including Dick Powell, Pat O'Brien, Mary Astor, Frank McHugh, Luise Rainer, Peter Lorre, Barton MacLane, Allen Jenkins, Hobart Cavanaugh and a score of others. "Page Miss Glory" was a big hit on the Broadway stage, Mervyn LeRoy, one of Warner Bros. directors, fresh from his triumph with "Oil for the Lamps of China," directed the film version which was written by Delmer Daves and Robert Riskin, the original of Joseph Cotten and Philip Dunning. A new song, also bearing the title "Page Miss Glory," written by Hollywood's leading team of hit writers, Warren and Dubin, is sung as a duet by Miss Davies and Dick Powell.

"College"

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## MARKET DOWNWARD YESTERDAY

New York, March 27. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Dow Jones Summary of yesterday's market. The market to-day was adversely affected by the weakness of the French Franc caused by rumours that France might place an embargo on the export of Gold instead of risking a heavy exodus. Bankers here are predicting a further fall in the franc. Issues which recently seasonally gained to-day lost from two to five points; whilst the remainder of the list drifted lower in a dull session; but there was no particular pressure. Automobile, communication, steel, railroad and utility securities lost moderately. Aviations were mixed, but farm-implement and mercantile stocks were firm. The market for bonds was lower. Stocks on the Curb Exchange also declined.

Swan, Culbertson & Fritz Wall Street Journal comment on 20/2 market: "European market operations are at present restricted. The new Federal Reserve Board rules regarding margins are likely to result in the liberalisation of brokers' margin places. Foreign news is still worrying the market, particularly the French moves in the seeking of liquidity. The steel industry hopes for substantial orders as result of the floods. Brokers are of the opinion that the market is in a healthy condition. The Spanish political troubles are depressing International Telephone & Telegraph shares. Bills on General Motors believe that it will penetrate 670. Brokers now expect a comparatively firm market with the future trend upward."

S.C. & F. New York office cables: Stocks. The market was quiet and generally easier. The Kentecott Mining Corporation in 1935 earned \$1.22 per share, against 53 cents the previous year. The Continental Oil Company opened its new Oklahoma well with a daily capacity of 25,000 barrels. Bank Clearings are up 7.3 per cent.

Cotton: Out of 11 opinions expressed by brokerage houses, four are bullish, one bearish, and six non-committal regarding the future outlook. Forwardings to mills during the past week are estimated at 207,000 bales, against 215,000 bales of the previous week.

Wheat: The market was stronger, but indications of drought relief caused some liquidation by tired holders of May wheat.

Rubber: C. I. F. offerings here specify London or Singapore shipment, which is construed as an indication of some question regarding the

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

## LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the New York commodity exchange are issued by Reuter.

	New York Cotton	
May	11.13	11.24/25
July	10.74	10.88/88
October	10.20	10.17/17
December	10.18	10.44/44
January	10.15	10.19/19
March (1937)	10.17	10.17/17
Spot	11.51	11.04

## New York Rubber

	March	May	July	September	Total sales:
March	16.88	unquoted			
May	15.95	15.91/91			
July	15.03	15.01/12			
September	16.12	16.12/12			
Total sales:	16.21	16.22			28 lots.

## Chicago Wheat

	May	July	September
May	90%	96/96%	
July	87%	87%/ <sup>87</sup>	

## Thursday's sales:

15,172,000 bushels.

## Chicago Corn

	May	July	September
May	50	69%/ <sup>69</sup>	
July	50%	69%/ <sup>69</sup>	

## Winnipeg Wheat

	May	July	September
May	82%	82%/ <sup>82</sup>	
July	83%	83%/ <sup>83</sup>	

## New York Silk

	March	May	July
March	unquoted	unquoted	

## Chicago Silk

	May	July
May	1.70	1.69/70

## Winnipeg Silk

	May	July
May	1.68	1.65/65

It has been arranged for a group photograph of St. John Ambulance Brigade members to be taken on Sunday morning next, March 29, at 10 a.m. on the enclosed Naval Football Ground. Members will wear uniform, with belts. Association members are invited to be present.

## REUTER QUOTATIONS

Dow Jones Average:	March 26, 1927.
30 Industrials	157.73
20 Railways	47.85
20 Utilities	32.33
10 Bonds	102.08
11 Commodity Index	56.99

## VOLUNTEERS AND BLANKETS

## COL. HARRISON REFERS TO CORRESPONDENCE

The Sergeants' Mess of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps were hosts at an excellent dinner and smoking concert at Headquarters last night, when members of the regular Garrison, who were guests, and the Volunteers, exchanged compliments and good wishes for future co-operation.

There were upwards of 60 present in the gaily-decorated main hall of the Headquarters, and the smart uniforms of the different units, the cheery numbers provided by the artists, and a happy speech by Col. H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., G.O.C., all contributed to the conviviality of the occasion.

R.S.M. T. Parkinson presided and the guests included Col. Harrison, Col. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E., Commandant, Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

1. His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to approve the following promotion in the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps with effect from March 18, 1936:

Sergeant Daniel Marshall to the rank of Second Lieutenant.

ii. Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., G.O.C., China Command, will take part in the recent Combined Operations at Corps Headquarters on Monday, March 30 at 6.00 p.m.

All ranks who took part in the Operations are invited to attend.

iii. Motor Cars and Cycles—No vehicles are to be parked inside the Drill Hall or immediately in front of the entrance without special authority.

iv. Box Respirators and Steel Helmets—O.C. Units will arrange to return to the Quarter-Master by April 6, 1936 all Box Respirators and Steel Helmets issued for Combined Operations.

2. Parade

i. Corps 1st Battery—"A" Section. Commencing Thursday, April 9 and continuing on alternate Thursdays during April, May and June "A" Section will undergo further training under orders to be issued direct as follows:

B.C. Staff, Capt. T. Addis Martin; No. 1 Gun, L/Sgt. Cole;

No. 2 Gun, Sgt. Webb.

"B" Section. Parade at Corps Headquarters on Friday, April 6, at 6.00 p.m.

iv. Dress—Overalls, Blue Caps.

v. Corps Engineers. Monday, March 30, 1936—Lecture on Operations; Monday, April 6, 1936—Gas Mask Drills.

vi. Corps Signals—Parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Tuesday, March 31, 1936—Switchboard operators under L/Cpl. Wadmore will parade as instructed.

All ranks must parade at Corps Headquarters at 5.30 p.m. on Thursday, April 2 with Box Respirators for Anti-Gas Instructions.

iv. M. G. Troop—Parade at Corps Headquarters on Tuesday, March 31 at 6.30 p.m. for M. G. Instruction.

All Gas Masks should be returned to Headquarters Store as early as possible.

v. Armoured Car Section—Section will parade at Corps Headquarters on Tuesday, March 31 at 6.30 p.m. for Vickers Gun Instruction.

vi. Motor Machine Gun Section—All ranks are requested to attend a lecture by Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., at Corps Headquarters on Monday, March 30 at 6.30 p.m.

vii. No. 1 (A.G.) Company—Parade at Corps Headquarters on Friday, April 3 at 5.30 p.m. Musketry instruction at Miniature Range.

viii. No. 2 (Scottish) Company—The Company will parade at Corps Headquarters on Thursday, April 2 at 5.30 p.m. for Gas Drill. Box Respirators must be carried.

All Kilt Apron recently issued must be returned to the C.Q.M.S. on Thursday, April 2 for necessary alteration to pocket.

ix. No. 3 (M.G.) Company—The Company will attend a lecture by Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., at Corps Headquarters on Monday, March 30 at 6.30 p.m.

x. M.G.Bn., Signal Section—The O.C. Section expresses his appreciation for the full turn-out and excellent work carried out during Combined Operations.

Sports. The Section will participate as part of "Static Machine Guns". Entries should be submitted at an early date.

Monday, March 30, 1936—it is hoped that all ranks will make an effort to attend the talk on Combined Operations by Colonel H. C. Harrison, D.S.O., at 6.30 p.m.

Wednesday, April 1, 1936—Section will parade in subsections as detailed.

Section Dinner—A meeting will be held after parade to discuss this matter.

xi. Corps Infantry—Parade. The parade for Tuesday, March 31 is transferred to Monday, March 30 for the lecture by Colonel Harrison on the last Combined Operations.

All ranks should make a special effort to attend this parade.

Stonecutters Range—Small Arms Classification—Lewis Gun.

All Lewis Gun Sections of "A" Company and all members of "B" Company except those who have not yet fired Lewis Gun will fire for Classification on Sunday, March 29, 1936.

Launch leaves Queen's Pier at 8.15 a.m. and Kowloon at 8.30 a.m.

Range Officer—Lieut. J. H. Lawrence.

3. Transfer

No. 1037, Gunner, B. I. Blackford,

1st Battery, is transferred to Unit Reserve 1st Battery, with effect from March 27, 1936.

No. 1795, A/Cpl. R. A. J. Simpson, No. 1 (M.G.) Company, is transferred to Unit Reserve, No. 1 (M.G.) Company with effect from March 27, 1936.

4. Leave

Major J. C. Macgown, M.B., etc.

Medical Section, granted leave as from 8.4.36 to 8.4.1937.

No. 2225, Sgt. L. Alltree, Corps Signals, granted leave as from 15.3.36 to 15.4.36.

No. 1200, Cpl. C. H. Logan, No. 2 (Scottish) Company, granted leave as from 21.3.36 to 21.4.36.

No. 1645, Sgt. K. C. Hamilton, M. M. G. Section, granted leave as from 2.3.36 to 22.3.36.

No. 2292, Sgt. R. S. Devan, R. O. D. Cadre, granted leave as from 4.4.36 to 4.12.36.

5. Struck off the Strength

Left the Colony

No. 2087, Gunner, T. W. Duffield, 1st Battery, as from 27.3.36.

Completed three years service.

## SHANGHAI MUDDLE

## VOTES MISSED IN ELECTION COUNT

Three hundred and twenty-three votes, most of them Japanese, which had

**WATSON'S**  
Pectoral Cough Balsam  
**FOR COUGHS, COLDS & BRONCHITIS, &c.**  
Quickly relieves all unpleasant tickling of the throat.  
Soothing and stimulating. It is a valuable aid in all congested conditions of the Chest and Lungs.  
**\$1.00 & \$2.00 per bottle.**

**WATSON'S**  
Cherry Cough Mixture.  
**SPECIALLY PREPARED FOR CHILDREN.**  
Pleasant to take, and a sure cure for coughs, colds and difficulty of breathing.  
**50 cents and \$1.00 per bottle.**

**A. S. WATSON & CO., LTD.**  
The Hongkong Dispensary.  
Tel. No. 20016.

The Rage of New York, London and Shanghai.

## "Music Goes Round and Round"

The Fox-Trot Hit of the Century.

Ask for Victor Record  
No. 25201

**S. Moutrie & Co., Ltd.**  
York Building. Chater Road.

### MODERN CHIMES

by

**GARRARD**

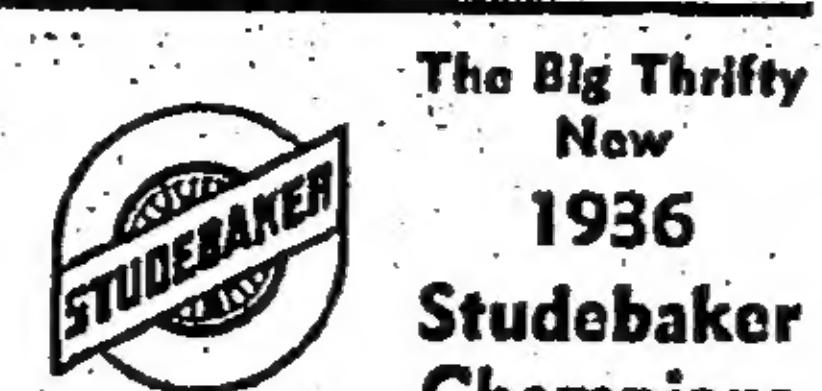
**GRANDDAUGHTER**  
**CLOCKS**

1/4 Hour Westminster  
Chimes

Beautifully toned of solid teakwood cases made in our own workshops. Smoothly finished and attractive in appearance.

CLOCK DEPARTMENT  
TEL. 28151.

**Lane, Crawford, Ltd.**



The Big Thrifty Now  
**1936**  
Studebaker Champions

A Matchless New 90-Horse Power Dictator Six.  
A Superb New 115-Horse Power President Eight.

FIRST IN ALL THE THINGS YOU ASKED FOR  
That make these 1936 Presidents and Dictators

MORE THAN EVER MOTORING'S CHAMPIONS

Leading With

**97**

New Studebaker Developments

16 New Beauty Distinctions  
34 Innovations in Comfort  
35 New Features of Performance and Economy  
12 Steps Forward in Safety Ask for Demonstration.

**HONGKONG HOTEL GARAGE**

and SHOW ROOM

Phones 27778-9. Stubbs Rd.

**The Hongkong Telegraph.**

SATURDAY, MAR. 28, 1936.

### UP TO GERMANY

Without question, Mr. Anthony Eden has still further enhanced his reputation as a statesman by his masterly handling of the delicate issues involved in the European crisis in the House of Commons on Thursday. It has long been clear that British public opinion is by no means unsympathetic towards the German viewpoint, but it is equally true that there has sprung up, within the last week, a feeling of disappointment at the lack of a concrete gesture by Germany to bring about an appeasement of the situation. Whilst it is beyond dispute that Germany cannot be held for ever in subjection, the fact remains that by her military re-occupation of the Rhineland, without warning of any kind, and by her denunciation of the Locarno Pact, without first making use of the machinery for revision of its terms, she has created the situation with which the European Powers are now confronted. It is this circumstance which gives weight to the contention that she should now make some definitely constructive contribution aiming at the creation of an atmosphere in which the foundations of a lasting peace can be laid. So far as Britain is concerned, there could be no better exposition of her attitude than that stated in the three-fold policy laid down by Mr. Eden—(1) To avert the danger of war; (2) to create conditions in which negotiations can take place; and (3) to bring about the success of such negotiations, facilitating the return of Germany to the League and engendering a happier general atmosphere in Europe. It is true, as more than one speaker declared in the House of Commons, that the Rhineland issue is of secondary importance; and British policy is accordingly based on the major consideration of effecting a long-term readjustment of existing conditions, so that lasting peace may be achieved. There is an admitted divergence of viewpoint between Britain and France in the matter of the Locarno Powers' proposals. Britain does not regard them as final, or in the nature of an ultimatum to Germany; France, on the other hand, stands for their total acceptance. There is, however, scope for mediation here, and the British idea is to call upon Germany for alternative proposals, which would be laid in due course before the other Powers concerned. It is clear, however, that unless Germany herself has something tangible to offer, negotiation will be an impossibility. A dispassionate

# NO FALTERING NOW

by  
**A. J. Cumming**

NEXT week the Governments constituting the League of Nations may have to take a decision which may vitally affect the course of history.

The question whether an oil embargo is to be imposed upon Italy at the earliest possible moment is the most important issue in the world to-day.

Its importance is less on account of the actual effect upon the conduct of Italy's war against Abyssinia than as an earnest of the good faith of the League States.

The Technical Committee of the League published its report on the oil-embargo on the very day that the Foreign Relations Committee of the United States Senate passed a bowdlerised version of the American Neutrality Bill. This coincidence has intensified the oil controversy.

Anti-Sanctionists and anti-Leaguers, as well as weak-kneed Leaguers, are doing their best to deepen the depression and to make it appear that the oil embargo is "dead."

I have no doubt that some elements of the British Cabinet would for various reasons welcome the assumption that nothing can now be done about oil. What I cannot quite understand is why those British newspapers which are clamouring for tender treatment for Italy should be so ecstatic whenever they can conjure up some threat which may endanger the official British policy.

### NOTES OF THE DAY

#### SANCTIONS EFFECTS

The highest significance is being attached to figures published in Washington, which show a remarkable falling off in Italian purchases from the United States of America. The January figures show a decline of no less than 31 per cent. as against those for December. When sanctions were imposed against Italy the Rome Government announced, with the appropriate flourish of trumpets, the imposition of "counter-sanctions" against the countries of the League. That meant that Italy would retaliate against sanctions by curtailing her purchases from League countries. The United States, being outside the League, might have been expected to profit considerably from "counter-sanctions." In fact, as the January trade returns show, her exports to Italy have actually declined. What is the explanation of this? The explanation is that sanctions are having an effect. Their object was to curtail Italy's purchasing power abroad and thereby make it impossible for her to buy the raw materials and other commodities which she needs in order to carry on her war in Ethiopia. The American figures are an indication that sanctions are doing this. A different significance attaches to the figures for Italian imports of oil. They, too, show a very remarkable falling off. This falling-off occurred at a time when Italian oil purchases in general were rising to meet increased demands for the mechanised units in Africa. The fact that purchases from America fell off at such a time indicated that, for some reason which it is, at present, impossible to determine, America has not been anxious to send large quantities of oil to Italy. This may be the result of the Administration's attitude, or it may be due to the voluntary action of American exporters. But whatever be the reason it shows that the danger of America cornering the oil market after the imposition of a League embargo is very much less real than was believed.

That is the elementary task of every Member State which has subscribed its name to the enforcement of the whole range of measures decided upon for protecting the victim of aggression and shortening the war.

So far as Great Britain is concerned it is surely unthinkable that all the brave words used on behalf of a fully aroused nation by Mr. Eden himself as to establish its authority in the well as by Mr. Baldwin and Sir Samuel Hoare (before they became sinned against the light) are races, keenly watchful in all now to be dissolved into thin air parts of the world, will certainly have no cause to thank either a weak non-possumus.

The British people at all events have made up their minds with unusual and remarkable emphasis about their moral obligations in this con-

spurious patriots that, even on the narrow ground of national prestige and honour, Italy's successful defiance of British diplomacy would be regarded everywhere as the greatest humiliation suffered by this country in recent times?

The effect upon scores of millions of our coloured fellow subjects within the Empire would be the gravest of all.

These jubilant anti-Sanctionists in the Press and behind the scenes are feeble thinkers and bad counsellors. They are saying now, as if it were a supreme British triumph, that the League Committee and the United States Senate have together killed the proposed oil embargo.

What are the facts?

The League Committee report, in effect, is that an embargo on the supply of oil to Italy would be fully effective only if the United States restricted her supplies to the peace-time level for November last year. The American Senate's bowdlerised Neutrality Bill leaves out the one clause by which Mr. Roosevelt would have had the power to order such a restriction.

For that unfortunate result the British and French Governments, by their prolonged dilly-dallying, must bear the chief responsibility.

I STILL think, in spite of American suspicions and disappointments, that if the League were now to go boldly forward with the oil ban neither the American Government nor the American people would for long endure passively the moral stigma that the oil supplies available to Italy for the continuance of a shameful war were coming almost entirely from the U.S.A.

That is not an Englishman's view only. It is the view of many well-informed representative Americans with whom I have repeatedly discussed the evils of clear obligations.

Nor can the British Government be allowed to ride off on the plea that we have gone far enough in practical initiative by sending our Fleet into the Mediterranean and that other Member States must take the malus paramount.

The League's Technical Committee has shown clearly that an oil embargo, even without American co-operation, is to be seen far different from that regarded still as an immensely powerful weapon. For instance,

the terms usually connote to prohibit tankers owned by other nations, it has become imperative for Great Britain to sell of such tankers to States pledged word. Whatever other nations may

along apprehensively on the tide of public opinion, to pass the buck to the U.S.A. and so have repeatedly discussed the evils of clear obligations.

But whether, in the event, the plea that we have gone far enough in practical initiative by sending our Fleet into the Mediterranean and that other Member States must take the malus paramount.

Our prestige and our national honour are deeply engaged in a powerful weapon. For instance, With or without the support of League nationals from proceeding to Italy and to prohibit the fulfilment of the duty of the League States, not applying the embargo would greatly disturb Italy's supplies, do an industry which is Government-controlled and partly her task of securing them. Government-owned cannot be matter of "greater difficulty and permitted, without the gravest greater expense."

It is a solemn duty of the Government, to make profits out of selling oil for the purpose of using it to increase Italy's bombing Abyssinian villages.

THERE is a very real danger lest British politicians, even those who are genuinely anxious to see the League vindicated, should sit back quietly in the comfortable conviction that, in any case, Italy cannot win because of her growing internal difficulties and the formidable obstacles of climate and terrain in the theatre of war.

"Everything is going well," they are inclined to say; "Italy is beating herself."

This, however, is a view fatal to the whole purpose of the collective system. Unless Italy

is foiled (at least in considerable part) through League pressure, the League's effort will have been in vain.

It will have failed to establish its authority in the well as by Mr. Baldwin and Sir Samuel Hoare (before they became sinned against the light) are races, keenly watchful in all now to be dissolved into thin air parts of the world, will certainly have no cause to thank either a weak non-possumus.

The British people at all events have made up their minds with unusual and remarkable emphasis about their moral obligations in this con-

But the effect of that iniquitous event on British authority, on British counsels in European politics, on the standing of the British Government in the eyes of all the coloured races over which it exercises control would be calamitous.

It would be folly not to recognise and face up to the far-reaching consequences of weakness and failure. If we cannot trust the courage and resolution of British statesmanship the common people must give it a new impulse. There must be no faltering now. Having committed ourselves to the greatest enterprise ever attempted in the cause of Peace and Security, we shall turn back at our peril.

### BULLS AND INNERS

From the Office Butts  
The South African Government is restoring salary cuts. All aboard for Capetown!

A correspondent complains that Volunteers were not issued with blankets during the recent manoeuvres. After all, there are lots of wet blankets outside the Corps.

We believe that the "Magic Carpet" film of Hongkong refers to the "landed gentry of the Peak." We wouldn't care to be landed where some of them are.

Fifty bucks reward is offered for the apprehension of a tiger. Looks like buying it by the case.

In winning the Lincolnshire Handicap, "Overcoat" probably finished in pants.

"Golden Miller" is described as a "mud" horse. On a heavy course it should be something to admire!

The importation of haggis into Canada has been prohibited on account of the risk of foot and mouth disease. We've always wondered whether we should kick it or bite it.

Judging from Police Court sentences, we should say there's not much hard labour in connection with counterfeiting.



**1936** THE FIRST TWO MONTHS  
of this year recorded a  
steady increase in the PAID  
SALES of "The Hongkong Telegraph." Possessing  
the largest afternoon sales, this newspaper  
offers advertisers an effective advertising medium.  
Joint advertising including the "South China  
Morning Post" guarantees the two largest daily  
circulations in the Colony.  
Revised circulation certificates showing the  
increased sales will shortly be prepared by Chartered  
Accountants.

# Hongkong Telegraph

## PICTORIAL SUPPLEMENT

SATURDAY, MARCH 28, 1936.

IF IT'S IN THE  
"TELEGRAPH"  
IT'S IN THE HOME!

There's no doubt about  
the circulation.



Seen above is the accountant staff of H.M.S. Tamar. Left to right:  
Front row—S. C. P. O. Collins, Wt. Sy. Offr. Woods, Pay Lt.-Cdr. Pitworth, Pte. Cdr. Brightman, Wt. Wtr. Blake, C. P. O. Wtr. Cahill, and C. P. O. Wtr. Stephens. Back row—Sy. P. O. Row, P.O. Wtr. Jordon, Wtr. Byrne, L.S.A. Matthews, Ldg. Wtr. Flitter, Ldg. Wtr. Ellis, and L. S. A. McGuire. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Pictured in the above group are the Chairman and Committee members of the various Football Associations in Hongkong. The Hon. Sir Thomas Southern is seated in centre. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Bridal group taken at the recent wedding of Mr. D. L. Prophet and Miss Helen M. Knill. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



Group taken at Fanling on the occasion of the ladies' golf championship events. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



Bridal party and guests at the recent wedding of Mr. G. G. Clarke and Miss Joyce Naylor. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



### Keep Him So in SNAPSHOTS.

HOW wonderful to see him developing, yet have a way to keep him ever as he is today. Snapshots do this. Time stops when the shutter clicks. On that precious square of paper you have the chubby hands, the short courageous legs, that roguish smile—never to change.

With the new Kodaks and Kodak Verichrome Film, good pictures are easier to take than ever. Ask about them at the store displaying the KODAK sign. Or, for catalogue, please write to

KODAKMAN KODAK CO.,  
14, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

Kodak Six-20 with f/6.3 lens is able to catch millisecond action and, with "SS PAN" Film and Photoflood Lamp, to take snapshots at night. Picture size: 2 1/4 x 3 1/4 inches.

The pictures you'll want TOMORROW you must take TODAY



This interesting photograph was taken at the wedding, at the Esgreia dos Anjos, in Lisbon, of Mr. Leonardo A. L. da Silva, of Hongkong, and Miss Ondina de Araujo.



Sir Robert Ho Tung snapped with Mr. Chang Karngau, Chinese Minister of Railways, who recently visited Hongkong.



Sir Nagat S. Chowdhury, the organiser and senior member of the Sikh Section of the Volunteer Defence Corps. (Photo: Mee Cheung).



A happy group at the Hongkong Hotel during the visit of Warner Oland, noted film star. Left to right—Ben Proulx, Richard Wong, Mrs. Proulx, Wong Ying, Warner Oland, Anna May Wong and Roy Royston. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

### It's Like Getting a Better Camera

To give up using ordinary roll films and change over to sensitive Selochrome Roll Film is like exchanging your camera for a better one.

Selochrome is made to do a double job. First, to take sharp pictures. Second, to see that they are correctly exposed, even if you should make an error of judgment.

**SELchrome**

THE Extra FAST  
ROLL FILM

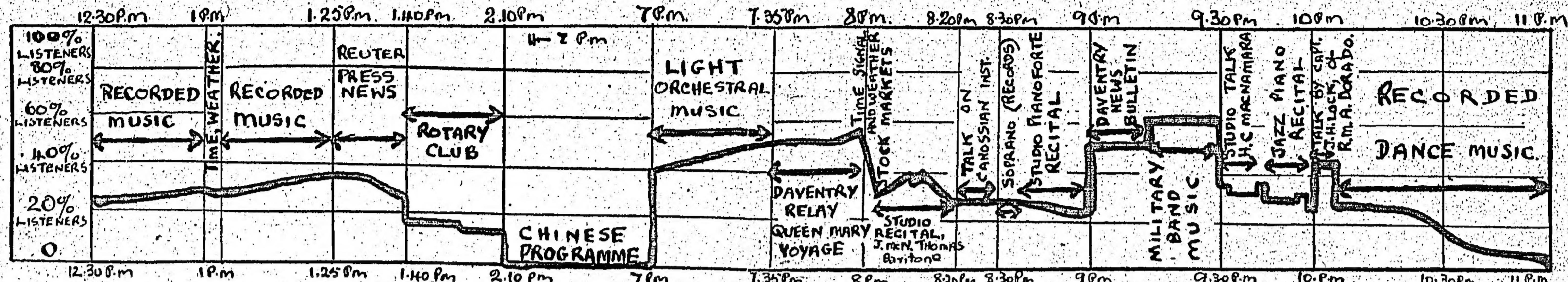
Is made in England by

**ILFORD LIMITED**

Local Address: Marina House, 15-19 Queen's Rd. C.  
Tel. 33067

# ENTERTAINMENT

First graph showing when listeners switch on-and off



This graph shows accurately the reactions of ten per cent. of the total European listeners to ZBW's programmes broadcast on Tuesday, March 24. It was drawn up from replies to questionnaires issued to over 200 European listeners in the Colony.

## LOCAL LISTENERS' CHOICE WILL

### This Is a 'Dickens' of a good one

COLMAN has gone and done it again. He has made a film (with the help, of course, of immortal Charles Dickens, half a dozen or so Hollywood scenario writers and an equal number of producers and camera-men) that recalls the Colman of "Cynara" and other early-talkie films—a

"A Tale of Two Cities" cost a million dollars to make. Acknowledging in a formal "bibliography" on the screen its debt to Carlyle and other authorities on the period it goes far beyond the limitations of the Dickens story. Director Jack Conway has photographed the storming of the Bastille as if it happened yesterday afternoon. The whole picture constitutes a record of one of history's most melodramatic moments, told in an idiom equal to its subject, from a skeleton designed by a novelist of genius.

"Like all real art, it achieves the general by relating the particular with an emotional intensity that never lets down from the first shot of a coach wheel being pulled through the mud of an English village to the last shot in which the camera swings up to the dying Carton and the blood-thirsty crowd in the Place de la Revolution, up the shaft of the guillotine and still up, into the sunny sky of a new France."

The film is long—almost as long as "Mutiny on the Bounty," but like its famous predecessor it grips without one moment of boredom. The Revolution scenes are particularly vivid and Colman, as Sydney Carton, is the roguish Colman of former days. Cast is top-notch throughout and in "Tale of Two Cities" you have that rarity—a picture with flawless acting and characterisation. M.G.M. noted for manner in which they assemble casts (most of this was Selsick's work) have excelled themselves and Reginald Owen, Elizabeth Allen, newcomer Blanche Yurka (of whom you'll see and hear much more), old-timers Clarence Gillingwater, Edna May Oliver give characterisations that are comics in themselves.

Definitely the best picture we have seen for weeks, the best Colman had made, the best bet for your entertainment. It's at both Alhambra and King's, commencing to-day.

**PACTS:** Two "clients" of Dickens class were in both instances playing the roles of Sydney Carton and Charles Darnay. They were played by one player—William Farnum in American version, Sir John Martin-Harvey in English version. In addition, Colman, in his double role, did a double Colman plays Sydney Carton. Woods plays Charles Darnay.

READERS WRITE  
ONE ASKS  
**WHY DOESN'T  
ZBW PLAY THE  
NATIONAL  
ANTHEM**

**SURPRISE**  
Z. B. W.

BY "FIRST NIGHT"

Z.B.W. has no box-office. It has no gauge, beyond listeners' letters, to the popularity of programme.

Here, published for the first time, is a graph showing exactly how 162, or approximately ten per cent. of the European listeners reacted to ZBW's programme broadcast on last Tuesday, March 24.

A total of 210 letters were sent to Hongkong listeners, together with an advance copy of the programme in question. They were asked to indicate, on the margin of the programme, at what time, for whatever cause, they had switched on and off their receivers during the broadcast period.

Particular stress was laid, in the letter accompanying the programme, on the necessity for listeners to give an accurate indication of the periods they were listening, and not to include portions of the programme which they would have liked to have heard but for one reason or another, were unable to do so.

#### SOME COULDN'T

Dozens of the listeners, in returning the questionnaire, indicated that although their receivers were switched on at certain times, they were not particularly interested in what was being broadcast, while an equal number expressed regret at being unable to hear certain parts of the programme.

Approximately ten per cent. of the listeners returned blanks, indicating that their receivers had not been in use on the day in question. It can safely be assumed that the majority of the 48 listeners who did not trouble to return the questionnaire had not used their receivers either. These, however, have not been taken into consideration.

Even so, the returns indicate that at no time during Tuesday's programme, which was above the average, did more than 64 per cent. of the European listeners have their sets switched on, and this percentage was touched only on one occasion.

#### POOR TIFFIN AUDIENCE

When the station opened with its recorded programme, only 22 per cent. of the listeners had their sets switched on.

The total gradually increased during the tiffin programme until 1.25 p.m. when approximately 38 per cent. had switched on their sets, according to the Reuter Press Bulletin.

This percentage dropped slightly at the end of the bulletin until the Rotary Club speaker commenced his address, when there was a sudden drop in the percentage of listeners from 28 to 18 per cent. Another drop occurred half way through the Rotary talk, presumably because the majority of listeners had to return to their office before 2 p.m. At the conclusion of the talk, the Rotary Club had an audience of only 16.5 per cent. of Hongkong's listeners.

#### DAVENTRY RELAY

Forty per cent. of the listeners were waiting at 7 p.m. for ZBW to come on the air again with Light Orchestral Music, and as listeners gradually trickled home from office, club or sports ground, the percentage increased until, at the end of the musical broadcast, there were 61 per cent. listening. The relay from Daventry of the Queen Mary's voyage down the Clyde was sufficiently interesting to increase the percentage, which stood at 58 per cent. for the 8 p.m. time signal and weather report. Immediately after the weather report there was a sudden slackening of interest, the stock market reports causing the percentage of listeners to drop from 62 to 30 per cent.

The majority were either insufficiently interested or couldn't be bothered switching on their sets again (many, of course, would be going out to the cinema or other amusement centres, for the studio records of upper levels may be somewhat taken aback at being described as "landed gentry of the sonic".

All in all, admirable film with plenty of "atmosphere." Should do much to make known in other lands' manifold attractions and beauties of Colony.

OPINIONS which might be made good in dicitionaries in Government offices. But it has always existed in fact in relations between P.M.G. and enthrone radio staff, and Miss Dunnett, while presenting silver cigarette cases (newsworthy, incidentally, with interphones, and words "ZBW, Calling") spoke no idle words during valiantly speech, sentiments of which were not only echoed by enthrone ZBW staff, but also by news reporters who have come in contact with great Post Office telephone men.

Mr. McLean departed by Empress of Britain, future (almost absurdly) with many new ideas for local broad-

#### LEAGUE OF DECENTY IN HONGKONG

LEAGUE of Decency, or its counterpart, has come to Hongkong.

All good Catholics are adjured by Rosary Church (Kwailoon) to study, inwardly dined and follow hints contained in "Motion Picture Guide," issued weekly, termed "A Moral Estimate of Coming Pictures."

Films exhibited in Hongkong are divided into three classes, those that are "Approved," those that are "Disapproved for Youth, with a word of caution for Adults" and those that are "Disapproved for All."

This week the following list was posted:

#### CLASS A APPROVED FOR ALL

"The Bride Comes Home," "Travelling Saleswoman," "Here's to Romance," "Gay Reception," "Whispering Smith," "Reaks," "The Devil Dog of the Air,"

#### CLASS B DISAPPROVED FOR YOUTH WITH A WORD OF CAUTION FOR ADULTS.

"People Will Talk," "Rip Van," "Fast and the Famous," "In Caliente," "Thanks a Million," "Ah, Wilderness," "Sweet Surrender,"

#### CLASS C DISAPPROVED FOR ALL

"The Informer."

Majority of listeners, only 24 per cent. keeping their receivers switched on. The percentage was maintained for the recorded soprano items, but a studio piano recital saw yet another slackening of interest, only 23 per cent. of the listeners leaving their receivers on.

#### NEWS BULLETIN

At 9 p.m., however, there was a revival of interest for Daventry's News Bulletin, many listeners switching on their receivers for the first time that day. As soon as the studio item ceased, and Daventry's broadcast commenced, the percentage of listeners leapt from 23 to 52 per cent., more than double.

Even greater was the interest in the subsequent Military Band Music, during which ZBW had its peak audience of 64 per cent. of the total listeners.

Interest immediately waned at the end of this broadcast; only 65 per cent. of the total listeners leaving their receivers on for the start of the studio talk on "The Confederate States of America," the percentage dropping to 52 before the talk had concluded. Nor were listeners particularly interested in the Jazz Piano Recital that followed, there being only a flicker of interest at its commencement.

#### TOPICAL SUBJECTS

But, showing the pulling power of topical subjects, the percentage immediately leapt up when Captain J.H. Lock commenced his talk on the Imperial Airways service to Hongkong, 48 per cent. of the listeners switching on their sets. Immediately Captain Lock had concluded; however, interest waned again; only 28 per cent. of the listeners keeping their receivers on for the beginning of the recorded dance music programme. Either the Hongkong listening public is composed of people who believe in the old "Early to Bed" slogan or they consider 50 minutes' surfeit of dance music, for after 10.15 p.m., interest gradually decreased, and by 10.55 p.m. less than five per cent. of the total listeners had their sets switched on.

In view of a questionnaire run by a morning contemporary two years ago, in which listeners voted overwhelmingly for dance music, the result reproduced above is surprising.

#### DANCE MUSIC TOO LATE

The reason seems to me obvious. Dance music, popular as it is, should come earlier and shouldn't occupy 50 minutes to an hour without a break. Any programme lasting an hour in length would, to my mind, lose listeners. People want variety.

Listeners have also shown, in an uncertain manner, that the night time is no time for talk, unless they are on newsworthy subjects that are topical. This is borne out by the fact that the only talk to sustain interest was that made by Captain Lock. Talks also decrease the listening public for artists who follow, as witness the fact that no peak was apparent after the Stock Market reports, talk on Canadian Institute and talk on the Confederate States of America.

Of the total of five and a half hours given over to European programmes on Tuesday, no less than 2 hours, ten minutes, was given over to dancing. This is far too long.

## WHAT THEY THOUGHT OF ZBW

ALTHOUGH listeners who participated in the drawing up of the chart of ZBW's programme were not asked to comment on the broadcast many of them did so, some in an illuminating manner.

They said listeners commented adversely on fact that ZBW had of late Daventry relay of Queen Mary voyage down Clyde to broadcast weather, reports, stock market quotations. One of two letters received additionally, is printed on this page.

Several listeners complained about bad timing of ZBW's programmes, others about the lack of variety, while others, like the public, expressed preference for male announcers.

Only three listeners complained that there is too much classical music in Hongkong, but 18 expressed abhorrence for jazz.

Not all the comments were unsatisfactory. Many listeners expressed great appreciation of the entire programme.

One listener, however, felt that ZBW's programmes were sickly, related, but wasn't closing dollar rate added.

Most appreciate listeners were those living out of town, who, naturally, appreciated older sets of songs, while others agreed that the programme was above the average.

I think the letter of one listener, who generously took the trouble to express his views fairly, sums up views of the majority of listeners who participated in the questionnaire. He wrote:

"My comments are largely dictated by my personal preferences, the well-known, the Queen Mary and Donald Trump being of unusual interest.

I particularly enjoyed the Recital of English Ballads, the Piano-Roll Recital by Miss Braga and Mr. Macnamara's talk.

The programme of course, no doubt, is "encore" and is certainly a truism in regard to its attraction that "what is one man's meat is another's poison."

The B.D.C. occasionally gave us some of the old songs, which I like very much.

I remember my son telling me in 1931 that he had been to a "revival" programme at the "Holborn Empire", and that the enthusiasm of the audience was such that they "encored" some of the old songs three or four times and yet Lazarus temporis still is viewed as an unusual halo.

The B.D.C. "did their turn."

The programme, to my mind, was above the average, and seemed well balanced, the Queen Mary and Donald Trump being of unusual interest.

I particularly enjoyed the Recital of English Ballads, the Piano-Roll Recital by Miss Braga and Mr. Macnamara's talk.

The programme of course, no doubt, is "encore" and is certainly a truism in regard to its attraction that "what is one man's meat is another's poison."

Not a single set leaves this factory without having previously been examined in the most scrupulous manner; that is why Philips receivers fully deserve their mark of quality, the waves-and-stars symbol.

All the component parts of a Philips receiver—condensers, coils, transformers, resistances—in short, all those intricate elements on which so much depends, are manufactured by Philips in their own factories.

PHILIPS RADIO

Not a single set leaves this factory without having previously been examined in the most scrupulous manner; that is why Philips receivers fully deserve their mark of quality, the waves-and-stars symbol.

ALL THE COMPONENT PARTS OF A PHILIPS RECEIVER—CONDENSERS, COILS, TRANSFORMERS, RESISTANCES—IN SHORT, ALL THOSE INTRICATE ELEMENTS ON WHICH SO MUCH DEPENDS, ARE MANUFACTURED BY PHILIPS IN THEIR OWN FACTORIES.

PHILIPS 335 "MULTI-INDUCTANCE" SUPER

THE BEST ALL-WAVE RECEIVER EVER BUILT

LEFT:  
In this huge building of concrete, steel and glass, Philips sets are manufactured.

BETWEEN:  
A part of the Philips Works at Eindhoven, Holland, with the receiving-set factories.

BELOW:  
In view of a questionnaire run by a morning contemporary two years ago, in which listeners voted overwhelmingly for dance music, the result reproduced above is surprising.

Dance Music Too Late

The reason seems to me obvious. Dance music, popular as it is, should come earlier and shouldn't occupy 50 minutes to an hour without a break. Any programme lasting an hour in length would, to my mind, lose listeners. People want variety.

Listeners have also shown, in an uncertain manner, that the night time is no time for talk, unless they are on newsworthy subjects that are topical. This is borne out by the fact that the only talk to sustain interest was that made by Captain Lock.

Talks also decrease the listening public for artists who follow, as witness the fact that no peak was apparent after the Stock Market reports, talk on Canadian Institute and talk on the Confederate States of America.

Of the total of five and a half hours given over to European programmes on Tuesday, no less than 2 hours, ten minutes, was given over to dancing. This is far too long.

CALL AND LISTEN at the

CENTRAL RADIO SERVICE

60 Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Tel. 59814.

# Here are FIVE early Spring HATS

1



2



3



4



5

## "Square" Meals Of Cheese

PEOPLE fear cooked cheese as indigestible. It is seldom so in itself, but if eaten at night after a heavy meal it may not suit everybody.

But it has such excellent food value of its own that it can make dishes which form a meal in themselves.

COLD CHINESE CRAB.

Toast a very thin piece of bread two inches square. Mix  $\frac{1}{2}$  oz. of butter, 1 oz. grated cheese, a little vinegar and anchovy sauce to a soft paste, and serve on toast. Decorate with egg and watercress.

DROWNED BANANA.

Melt some butter in a fireproof dish, add salt and a little paprika. Cook for a few minutes, stirring well. Then put some split bananas in a dish and turn them over.

Sprinkle with breadcrumbs and grated cheese. Add a few small pieces of butter, and then cook in the oven till slightly brown.

## Kitchen First Aids for 'Flu

Is your kitchen well equipped to deal with influenza? And what is more important, are you?

This is the time of year when this disease is rife, and you should take stock of your talents. Lemons, eggs, cinnamon—these, with others, shall form the spear-head of your attack.

Cinnamon is particularly important. This spice possesses considerable antiseptic properties, which can be put to profitable use against the 'flu germ. You must purchase the best cinnamon bark or stick cinnamon for the preparation of your brews, unless, of course, you would prefer to buy it already prepared as a tincture or an essence.

For children: cinnamon water is capital, and is quite easily made. To a quart of boiling water add a quarter of an ounce of cinnamon, broken up, and a quarter of a pound of sugar. Allow to stand till cool; then strain. Drink freely.

Tincture of cinnamon is for the adult—because it contains alcohol. It is quite simple to prepare: Put three ounces of bruised true cinnamon bark into a bottle of the best French brandy. Leave for a week. The dose is one or two teaspoonsfuls with one or two tablespoonsfuls of hot water.

Should your child turn up his nose at cinnamon water, you may be able to tempt him with cinnamon drops.

Mix half an ounce of the best powdered cinnamon bark with a pound of powdered white sugar and half a pint of water, and boil to a syrup of candy-like consistency; then add it to the syrup when dropped into cold water; then spread out the thick syrup upon a well-oiled flat dish and score it into appropriate sections before it hardens.

For influenza, it is essential that any cinnamon treatment should begin in the early stages, preferably within twenty-four hours of the onset.

The cinnamon should be taken in fairly large doses at frequent intervals; for instance, half an ounce of the decoction or two teaspoonsfuls of the tincture in a little water every half-hour for the first two hours, then the same dose hourly until the temperature is normal.

A welcome medicinal thirst-quencher for the initial feverish stage is a nitrate of potash lemonade.

Dissolve one or two small teaspoonsfuls of powdered nitre in one and a half pints of cold water (which has first been boiled and filtered), then add a slice or two of fresh lemon and sweeten with a little glucose (it is not desirable to remove all the acidity). This quantity can be taken during the twenty-four hours.

Egg water, egg-fine, egg cordials and egg-nogs may be used as occasional mixes. Alcohol is added to an egg preparation when debility is a conspicuous feature.

Do you know how to make egg-nog? If not, could some new milk (boiled in a jug) in a saucepan (boiled water). Don't allow to boil. When cold, beat up a fresh egg with a fork in a tumbler with some flour. Turn the egg into a complete froth; add a dessertspoonful of brandy and fill up the tumbler with cold milk which has previously been scalded.

ANNE SELBY.

## TWO SIMPLE LUNCHEON MENUS

### 1 Sauté Kidneys on Toast.

Cream Cheese and Pineapple Salad.

Allow 2 sheep's kidneys, and a rash of bacon per person. Fry these for a few minutes, then drain and cut into dice. Make some thick gravy, season with salt, pepper, and a little mustard, add the kidney and bacon, and thoroughly heat. Pile on squares of toast and garnish with parsley.

For the salad, line individual plates with lettuce, place on each a round of tinned pineapple, and on top arrange cream cheese-balls and halved shelled walnuts. Pour over a little French dressing if liked.

### 2 Scallops au Gratin. Apple Amber.

Cook the well-washed scallops with a small lump of butter, enough milk to cover, and some pepper, and when plump put in individual fireproof dishes, make a white sauce with the liquor, pour over the scallops, and cover the top thickly with grated cheese. Brown in the oven.

For Apple Amber, line the sides of a fireproof dish with pastry, cook a pound of peeled and sliced apples with 2 oz. each butter and sugar and the grated rind of a lemon, when soft beat in the yolks of 2 eggs. Bake for 30 minutes, cover with a meringue made of the egg whites and return to the oven to set.

ANNE SELBY.

### Name Chart

Elsie

Symbol: A woman standing under a Bay tree.

THIS name signifies generosity of nature, pride, and the desire to excel. It is a magnetic name.

The best day of the week for you if your name is Elsie is Thursday, and the third hour after sunrise and the last hour before sunset are the luckiest, and the fourth day of the month will bring you good fortune.

For your gems you should choose sapphires. These are your lucky stones.

Your lucky number is 3, or multiples of that number, and the flower that is in harmony with your name is the gullflower.

## Chocolates of Nestle Quality

Here are three excellent Chocolate assortments. The individual appeal of each packing is without question, yet there are outstanding features common to all.

The famous "Nestle Quality" is present, together with a "Freshness" apparent even in the trying Hongkong summer—made possible only by the special manufacturing process employed and the use of air-tight containers.

All Nestle's Chocolate packings contain the popular Film Star Picture Stamps.



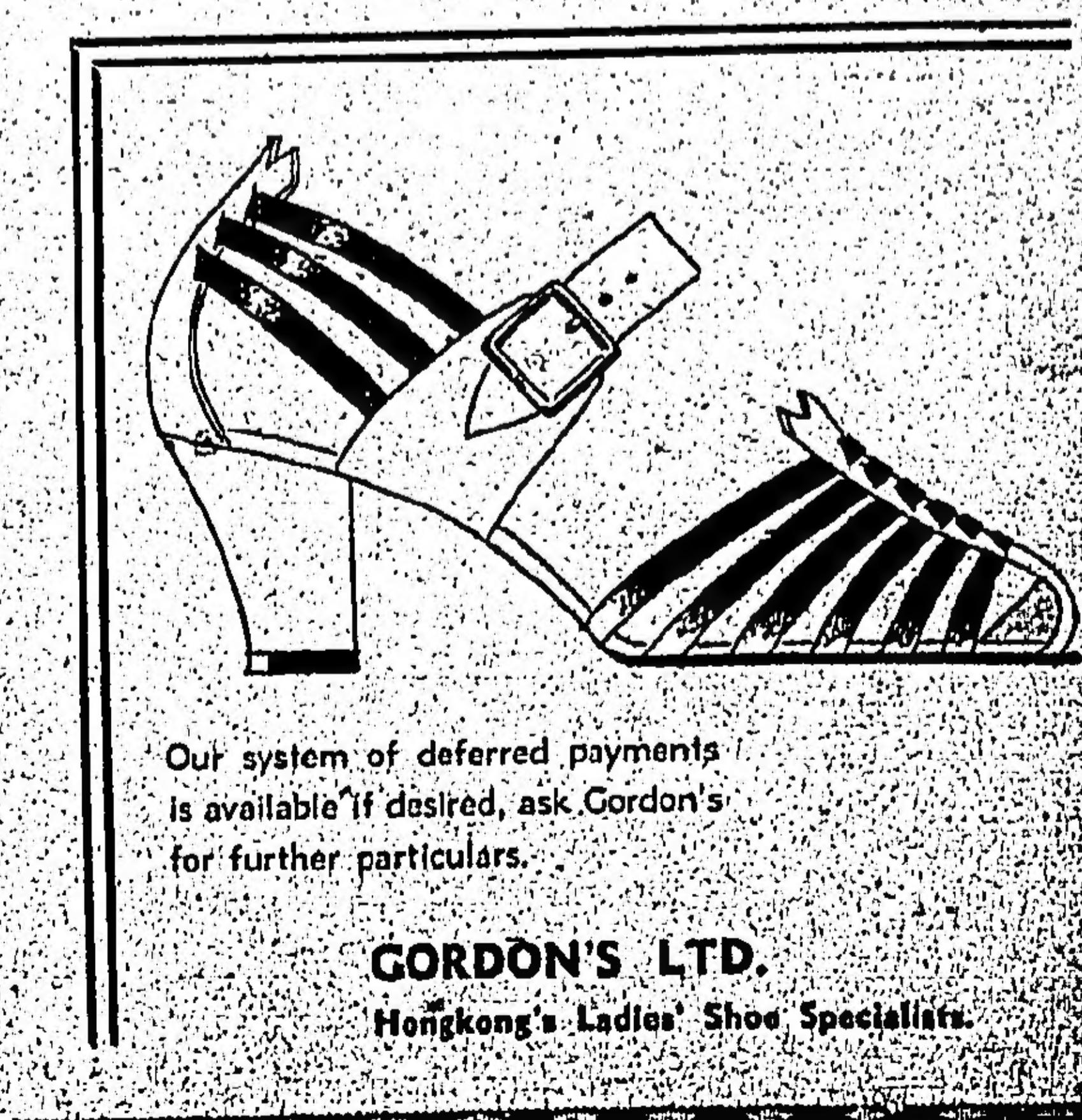
EXCEPTIONAL  
QUALITY  
AT A VERY  
LOW PRICE



50c. for 50

## FOOTWEAR for SUMMER . . .

Unique and attractive designs  
for the sunny days, cool and  
comfortable.

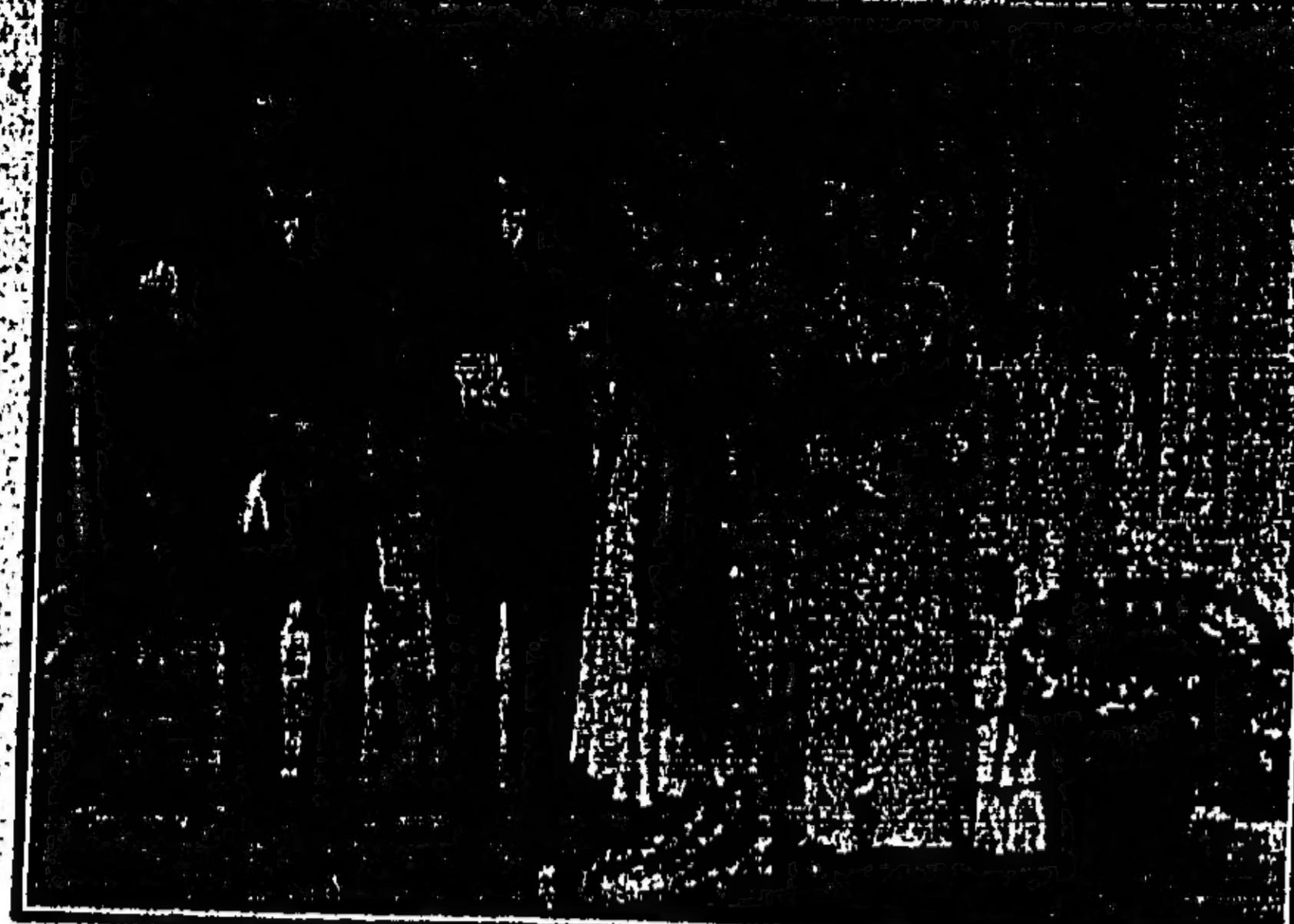


Our system of deferred payments  
is available if desired, ask Gordon's  
for further particulars.

GORDON'S LTD.

Hongkong's Ladies' Shoe Specialists.

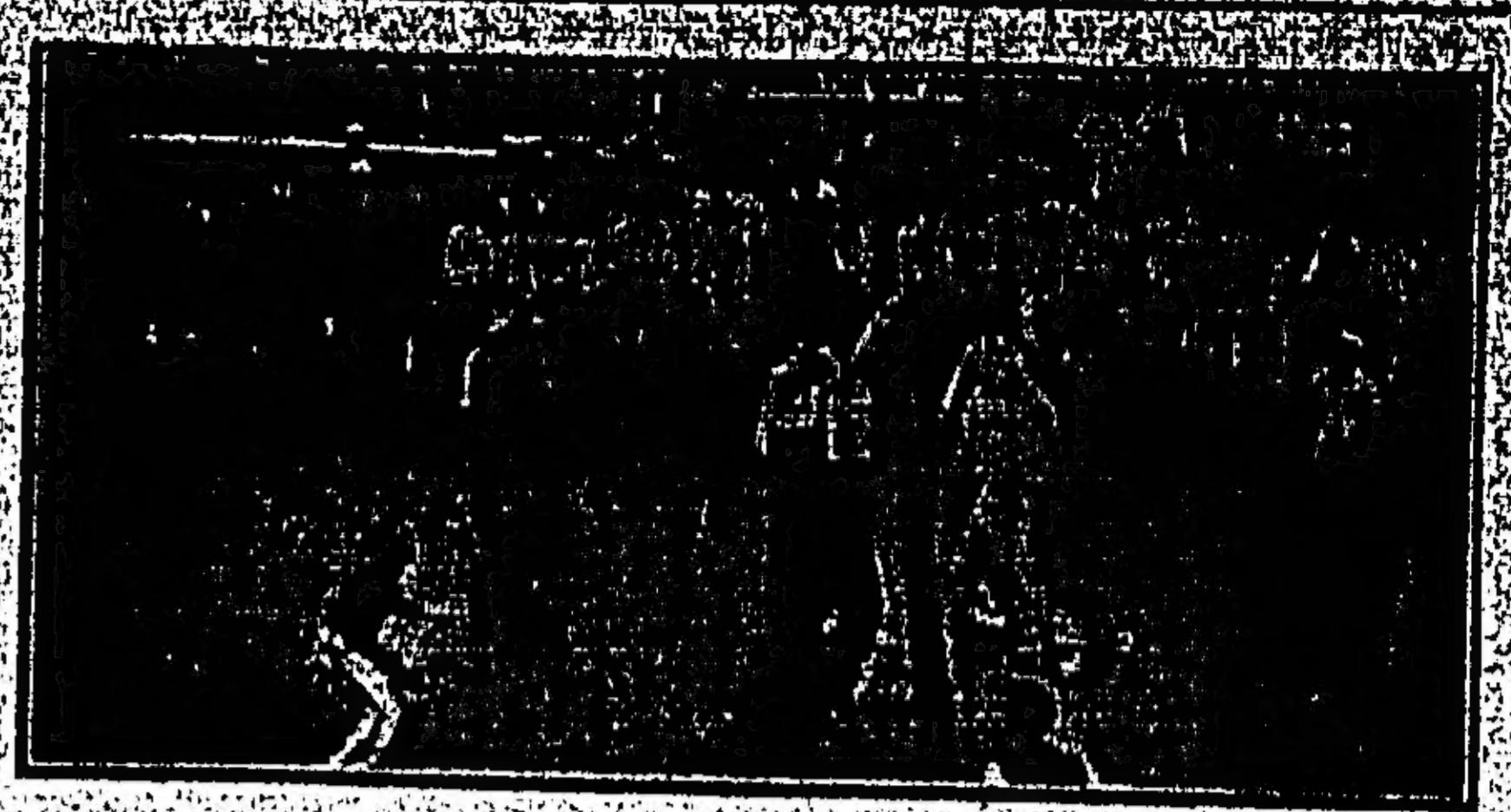
Winner of last week's competition.



Bridal group taken at the recent wedding of Mr. Chan Fook-man and Miss Hui Tuen-yung. (Photo: Yim Fong Studio).



His Excellency the Governor snapped with Mr. A. Morris, Director of Ambulance, and Dr. D. J. Valentine, Corps Surgeon, at the annual inspection of the St. John Ambulance Brigade. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



The Queen's College inter-class volleyball final is in progress. Class 2C beat Class 1A by three to one.

**SOLE AGENTS FOR**  
**Tho's Townend & Co.**  
Established 1770  
FINE QUALITY  
FUR FELT HATS.  
SEE THIS STAMP IN EVERY HAT  
*Made in England*

**FELT HATS for SPRING**  
This Extremely LightWeight Model is a Neutral Style for all Types, Perfectly Balanced Brith, Not Too Narrow Just Right Colours, Greys, Brown, Nigger. (Unlined) PRICE \$10.95 each.

**FEATHERWEIGHT MODEL**  
In Pure Soft Fur, as Stylish a Model as any Produced. Brim 2 3/8". Colours: Pastel Grey, Tan, Nigger. (Lined) PRICE \$13.50 each.

**WHITEAWAY, LAIDLAW & CO., LTD.**



His Excellency the Governor, Sir Andrew Caldecott, is shown inspecting the St. John Ambulance Brigade in company with the Director of Ambulance. (Photo: Ming Yuen).



GOLF  
TENNIS  
BADMINTON  
and  
ALL SPORTS

### NEW SPORTS SHIRTS

All wool, short sleeves, collar can be worn closed with tie or open at neck.

WHITE, MAROON, GREY, TAN,  
LIGHT BLUE, NAVY BLUE.  
\$13.50 each.  
Less 10% cash discount.

OTHER QUALITIES  
From \$4.00 each.  
Less 10% cash discount.

### MACKINTOSH'S LTD.

Men's Wear Specialists.

## The Guest Room



## THRILLING GRAND NATIONAL

BRILLIANT RIDE  
BY WALWYN

### DAVEY JONES' BAD LUCK

(Special to "Telegraph")

*(By Telegraph. Copyright. Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1931. Received March 11, 1936.)*

London, Mar. 27.  
A quarter of a million persons today, in bright sunshine, saw one of the most thrilling Grand Nationals ever run at Aintree, where Reynolds, quoted at 10 to 1, repeated his 1935 success, and became the first horse since The Colonel in 1899-70 to win in successive years this famous event. He ran a gallant race.

The first sensation, which brought the enormous crowd gasping to its feet, was when Golden Miller, one-time hot favourite and a former winner of the Grand National, repeated his last year's debacle and fell at the first fence. His jockey pluckily remounted and rode furiously, but Golden Miller refused a couple of fences later.

Then Avenger, who was installed the favourite by astonishing last-minute backing, starting at 100 to 3, fell soon after Golden Miller in the first round, when lying third, and broke his neck. He had to be destroyed.

The final disaster came to the young former Cambridge undergraduate, Hon. A. Mildmay, who had the tragic luck to break his reins at the last fence when the 100 to 1 outsider, Davey Jones, appeared to be winning a great struggle. Davey Jones swerved out from the fence, out of control, and Reynoldstown took the jump and romped away.

#### BRILLIANT RIDER

Reynoldstown had been challenging for some time, however. He was brilliantly ridden by England's leading amateur, Mr. Walwyn, and received a tremendous ovation at the finish.

Golden Miller showed he was definitely upset by his last Aintree experience.

Many of the smaller book-makers are expected to have difficulty in meeting their liability as Reynoldstown was heavily backed singly and coupled with the Lincolnshire winner in many big doubles, one of which was for £10,000.

#### WINNERS AND ODDS

The horses placed as follows:  
1. Major Furlong Reynoldstown, 10-1;  
2. Sir David Llewellyn's Ego, 50-1;  
3. Mr. Jamie 'Ranks' Bachelor Prince, 66-1.

It is a notable fact that not a single horse fell at the dreaded Becher's Brook.—*Reuter Special*.

#### MACAO NOTES

#### SOME INTERESTING ITEMS

Macao, Mar. 27.  
On the occasion of their 15th wedding anniversary on the 10th, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Brown were at home in their residence at 31 Avenida de Costa to their many friends. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Coates, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Service, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Braga, Mr. and Mrs. H. Harrendorf, Mr. and Mrs. C. Barnes, Messrs. J. M. Hood, A. J. Taylor, G. R. Johns, G. P. Lamont, F. Rumianoff, C. A. Braga and Capt. A. Luke.

\* \* \*

The death occurred here on March 23 of Mr. Julio Alberto Basto, an esteemed Macao resident after a long illness. The late Mr. Basto is survived by his mother, brothers and sisters who reside in Hongkong, the family being one of the most respected of the Portuguese community in Hongkong, and much sympathy is felt for them in their sad bereavement. The late Mr. Basto left a considerable fortune, a large portion of which he bequeathed to local charities.

\* \* \*

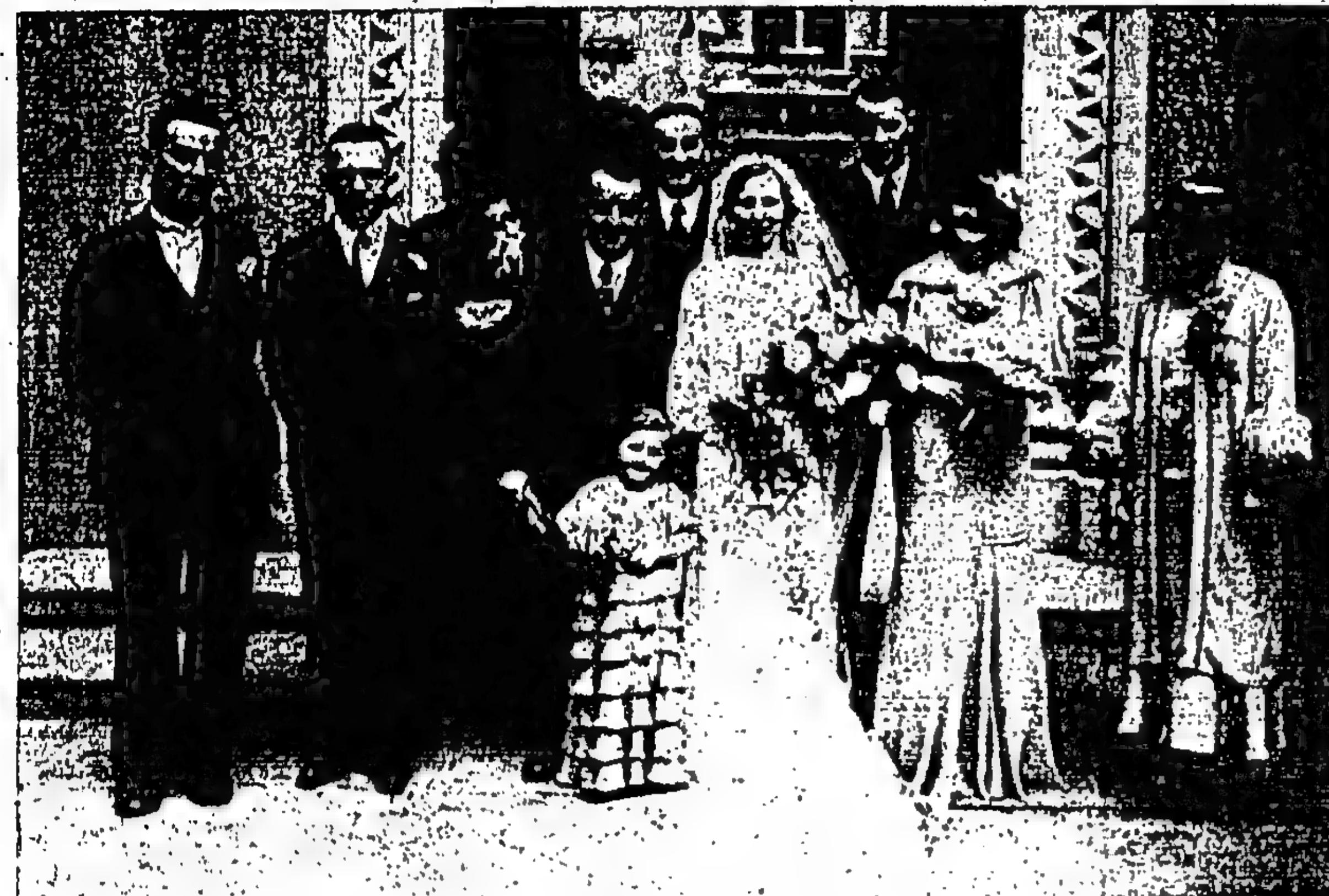
Mr. Frederick Johnson Gellion has been appointed to the post of Vice British Consul in Macao. Mr. Gellion, who recently returned to Macao from home leave, is the Manager of the Macao Electric Light Co. He is a very popular figure in social circles in the Colony.

\* \* \*

The French gunboat Argus, Captain R. de Badens, paid a short visit to Macao this week. She arrived on the 23rd and sailed on the 26th. A deck party was placed aboard on the 24th and the official luncheon on the 25th was attended by H.E. the Governor, Dr. J. P. P. Barbosa, and his staff. M. J. Lourquin, Consul General for France in Hongkong, made an official call at Government House during the visit of the Argus. Mr. Lourquin and Capt. R. de Badens were the guests of the Governor, Dr. Pereira Barbosa, and Madame Barbosa for dinner. Our Own Correspondent.

#### TERM EXTENDED

London, Mar. 27.  
H.M. the King has approved the extension of the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Sir Bernard Rolly as Resident Chief Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief at Aden from April 18 next to March 31, 1937—British Wireless.



Bridal group taken at the wedding, at St. John's Cathedral on Thursday, of Mr. George Dunigan and Miss Jessie Gill. (Photo: Ming Yuen).

#### CINEMA DIARY

"The Informer"—Best picture, according to Institute of Motion Picture Arts, produced in 1935. Tale of Irish civil War, produced on gigantic canvas, and certainly best thing Victor McLaglen has made. Ends Star Theatre run-to-day.

"People of Two Cities." Reviewed elsewhere on this page. Comes to Alhambra, King's to-day.

"Stars Over Broadway." Satisfactory romantic musical with James Melton, Jane Froman, names which mean more to American radio audiences than to Hollywood cinemagoers, making film debuts that are satisfactory but hardly sensational. It all shapes very nicely, with singing from those who have voices and acting from those who know how. Queen-to-day, to-morrow.

#### TO-MORROW

"Les Misérables."—Vic Hugo at the Oriental is giving Vic Hugo, late of Paris, a go on his screen with, as you'll well know, satisfactory results to the purse of the local Vic. This masterpiece, oft reviewed and recommended by this page, is counted among the leading entertainment for the week-end.

"Gay Deception."—More popular entertainment, scheduled for Monday to-morrow.

"Stage Miss Glory."—Marion Davies, who did much better in silent and in the olden days, attempts a come-back. Much higher standard than efforts she made in some fine two years ago. Entertainment value is good.

#### AMAZING HANDS AT WHIST

London, Mar. 26.

Four players sat round a table at a whist drive at Lydney, Glos.

They picked up their hands,

and looks of astonishment appeared on all four faces simultaneously.

Each held thirteen cards of one suit.

#### DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

"NO GOVERNMENT CAN PROVIDE NATIONAL JOYRIDES TO SUCCESS. POWER IS DEVELOPED BY FRICITION—THE FRICITION OF HARD BODIES AGAINST ROUGH PROBLEMS!"—Herbert Kaufman.

\* \* \*

By an order made under the Wild Birds Ordinance, no bird of any description other than magpies, kites and hawks may hereafter be killed, wounded or taken on the Island of Hongkong.

\* \* \*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed Mr. J. B. Prentis to act as Official Receiver and Registrar of Trade Marks and Patents as from March 23, in addition to his other duties.

\* \* \*

The forthcoming wedding is announced of Mr. Douglas Lorne Campbell, Customs officer, Chinese Maritime Customs, Marina House, Hongkong, and Miss Irene Rosa Cameron, of 1 King's Park Mansions, Kowloon.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following officers to be Government Wireless Telegraphy Surveyors for the purposes of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899: Richard Percy Morris, Douglas William Waterton, James Key, Frank Kekewich, Garton, Arthur Brasfield, Thomas Bowick, Rolland, Francis Alfred Kemp, James Stanley Logan and Arthur Ernest Edward Jeffreys.

\* \* \*

H.M. the King has approved the extension of the appointment of Lieutenant Colonel Sir Bernard Rolly as Resident Chief Commissioner and Commander-in-Chief at Aden from April 18 next to March 31, 1937—British Wireless.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following officers to be Government Wireless Telegraphy Surveyors for the purposes of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899: Richard Percy Morris, Douglas William Waterton, James Key, Frank Kekewich, Garton, Arthur Brasfield, Thomas Bowick, Rolland, Francis Alfred Kemp, James Stanley Logan and Arthur Ernest Edward Jeffreys.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following officers to be Government Wireless Telegraphy Surveyors for the purposes of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899: Richard Percy Morris, Douglas William Waterton, James Key, Frank Kekewich, Garton, Arthur Brasfield, Thomas Bowick, Rolland, Francis Alfred Kemp, James Stanley Logan and Arthur Ernest Edward Jeffreys.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

His Excellency the Governor has appointed the following officers to be Government Wireless Telegraphy Surveyors for the purposes of the Merchant Shipping Ordinance, 1899: Richard Percy Morris, Douglas William Waterton, James Key, Frank Kekewich, Garton, Arthur Brasfield, Thomas Bowick, Rolland, Francis Alfred Kemp, James Stanley Logan and Arthur Ernest Edward Jeffreys.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

\* \* \*

Local estate valued at \$51,800 was left by Mr. John Cookman Roberts, late of Southbrook Bishops, Waltham, County of Hants, and of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, London. Mr. Roberts died at Kulangsu, Amoy, on July 23, 1935.

An application by Mr. M. M. Watson, solicitor, the lawfully attorney, for sealing certified copy of grant of probate of the will was allowed.

# CRICKET CHAMPIONSHIP AT STAKE TO-DAY

## Winning Toss Will Materially Assist Kowloon C. C.

## TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

### GOLDMAN AND PEARCE REACH LAST EIGHT

(By "Varitas")

L. Goldman and T. A. Pearce, aided and abetted by Lu Tak-lam, yesterday won their way into the last eight of the Colony doubles tennis championship. They beat Lu Tak-cheuk and Lu Tak-lam 6-4, 5-7, 6-2 after a match of curious inconsistencies, patches of brilliance and intervals of childish blunders.

Although I expected the Lu brothers to have a slight edge on the new Goldman-Pearce combination, the result did not come as a surprise, as it was evident before the players took the court that it was a match in which anything might happen.

As it was Goldman and Pearce played the sterner tennis and were, perhaps, rather fortunate to find Lu Tak-lam at his very poorest.

Lu Tak-cheuk tried very hard to cover the deficiencies of his brother and, with the exception of Goldman, who was unusually reliable, played the best tennis of the four. But Tak-cheuk had his bad moments and they generally occurred at crucial stages.

## FINE MATCH PROMISED

The winners gave a pleasing display and are going to have a rare treat with Fincher and Hung in the next round. Pearce warned to his task as the game progressed. Earlier he experienced difficulty in timing his serves and, with the exception of Goldman, who was unusually reliable, played the best tennis of the four. But Tak-cheuk had his bad moments and they generally occurred at crucial stages.

In the second and third sets his forecourt work improved out of all knowledge and several times he had the opposition bewildered with his cut volleys which made the ball fall short and "stand up." A. E. Crawley, of course, tells us that volleys and smashes made with an oblique racket is a Bad Thing; but Pearce revealed that even Bad Things can become Good Things if employed at the right time against the right people.

Goldman, whose customary game is a mixture of sheer genius and "ambit" shots decided to play a nice intermediate type of game in this match and thereby made a very big contribution to the result. When the time came for a little extra pressure to be applied he was ready with some of his best shots—a smart interception to the net; a dazzling recovery volley, or an unexpected retrieve from a good lob. It was in these phases that Goldman shone, while Pearce concentrated more on the straightforward stuff, and did it very creditably.

## NEVER PLAYED WORSE

About the losers one can only say that Lu Tak-lam has never played worse. Off the ground he could do nothing right, either netting or overhitting. He appeared to be running

(Continued on Page 5)

### FIVE BADMINTON MATCHES

*Last Evening*

A full programme of league badminton matches was played last evening, two men's doubles and three mixed doubles contests being decided.

Elliot Hall "A" played their last match before sailing today for Shanghai, and when they return they will have but two outstanding games.

Recroco "A" also had a long day in the mixed doubles. Kowloon Tong brought their season to a close when they were beaten 6-3 by St. Andrew's. Gray and Miss Mackenzie won all three for Kowloon Tong after some exciting exchanges. Miss Mackenzie's net interceptions pulled them through in two of the games when they trailed 9-0 in one and 4-4 in another. The best game of the evening was between E. F. Fincher and Miss Churn and Gray and Miss Mackenzie, which saw-ed all the way and was only decided after "setting" the game at 20-all.

Chinese Recreation Club garnered points with ease at the expense of Taikei, winning all nine games, while Sailors and Soldiers Home, although offering stout opposition could not prevent Recroco "B" winning by seven games to two at King's Park.

Details of all five matches follow.

## MEN'S DOUBLES

## RECREO "A" v. FIRE BRIGADE

Played at King's Park, Recreio winning by eight games to one.

E. F. Fincher and J. R. Reddick (Recreo "A") beat E. L. Shute and K. S. Shute 21-4; beat J. L. Anderson and W. Stoker 21-2; beat A. L. Fisher and O. Williams 21-2; beat G. O. Carvalho and A. M. Silva (Recreo "A") beat Shute and Shute 21-1; beat Anderson and Stoker 21-8; beat Fisher and Williams 21-3.

H. A. Alves and J. Goncalves (Recreo "A") beat Shute and Shute 21-4; beat Anderson and Stoker 21-4; beat Fisher and Williams 21-2.

ST. JOHN'S v. ELIOT HALL "A"

At the Cathedral Hall last night, the Elliot Hall "A" team defeated the St. John's Club by 8 games to nil.

P. W. L. F. A. Pig. Elliot Hall "A" 20 19 1 128 16 38

Recreo "A" 17 16 1 103 23 32

C.R.C. 10 14 5 111 45 28

"A" 18 14 4 99 62 28

Elliott Hall "B" 17 12 5 83 43 22

Recreo "B" 15 10 5 73 44 20

(Continued on Page 9)

### Our Daily Golf Hint

Another characteristic of good players is that they play mashie shots with a straight left arm.

—Sir E. Holderness.

### GREAT CRICKET TRIUMPH

#### Australians Unbeaten In South Africa

### GRIMMETT'S 45 WICKETS

Durban, Mar. 3. Australia's tour of South Africa closed here to-day with another Test triumph—by an innings and six runs—and with another triumph for Grimmett, who took 6 for 73 in the South African second innings. He had taken 7 for 100 in the first innings.

Undefeated throughout their programme of fifteen matches, the Australians won all but one of the Tests and all but ordinary matches. Three Tests and seven other games were won by an innings, the other Test by wickets and one other match by 10 wickets.

No player has contributed more to their success than the 43-year-old Grimmett, who, in spite of the great difference in South African wickets as compared with Australian and English, has still further emphasised his probably unequalled greatness as a bowler by taking 45 Test wickets for an average of 14.26 in 346 overs of which were maidens.

Second only to Grimmett has been the bowling of O'Reilly, who has taken 27 wickets in Tests. The other three bowlers, apart from Grimmett, only took 27 between them.

### TEST AVERAGES

#### AUSTRALIA

##### BATTING

Highest Not. Inns. Runs. Score. Ave. Aver.

J. H. Fingleton	7	118	1	17.66
J. H. McCabe	7	300	189	2 74.00
W. B. Bannister	7	417	126	0 58.71
L. O'Brien	2	107	50	52.50
S. Darling	6	229	62	1 45.80
A. G. Chipperfield	5	106	109	0 22.20
R. G. O'Farrell	5	97	60	1 24.25
W. A. Oldfield	5	97	44	1 22.00
C. V. Grimmett	5	70	30	1 17.50
V. Y. Richardson	5	86	45	0 16.80
E. L. McCormick	5	19	19	0 5.00

##### BOWLING

O.	M.	H.	W.	Ave.
Grimmett	348.1	140	642 46	14.26
O'Reilly	256.2	112	409 27	17.00
McCormick	132.1	24	112 10	12.00
McGillivray	45	8	125	5.00
Fletch-Smith	122.2	24	340	42.22

### LEAGUE TABLE

P. W. L. F. A. Pig.

Elliot Hall "A" 20 19 1 128 16 38

Recreo "A" 17 16 1 103 23 32

C.R.C. 10 14 5 111 45 28

"A" 18 14 4 99 62 28

Elliott Hall "B" 17 12 5 83 43 22

Recreo "B" 15 10 5 73 44 20

(Continued on Page 9)

## VARSITY TACTICS WILL ALSO BE A BIG FACTOR

(By R. Abbit)

Given fine weather, or rather, weather in which cricket is possible—the final destination of the Senior Shield must be known this evening, for any result to the game will settle things. In fact provided they play, the only thing I am afraid about is whether there will be enough cricket balls! I imagine a lot are going to be hit over the wire netting!

But no doubt it is going to be a tremendously interesting match and I do hope for a fine afternoon. I fully expect to see a large number of spectators and I would venture to suggest that the extremely intelligent white and yellow pavilion can be asked to wash his face—or her's, as the case may be—in honour of the occasion!

There is much speculation in cricket circles as to what will happen and I find rather diverging views. On the whole I think opinion rather tends to expect a draw. Personally I frankly admit that I have no idea what is going to happen. Theoretically if the University could hold out against Ferreira and Minu, they should be able to do so against Goodwin and Lee. Again though the K.C.C. batting is doing well this year it owes much of its strength to three men, Teddy Fincher, A. T. Lay, and Norman Mackay; and I have known it to col-

### OTHER GAMES

The only league games besides this are the Club v. C.S.C.C. matches. The Club first are at home and I understand they are having some trouble in raising a side. They have been most unfortunate this year as Mitchell has been very ill—I am delighted to hear of the great success which attended his operation—Ricketts left very early and now Duckitt is away. Then Growder, who has helped them out for some weeks, has gone to Singapore and to crown all Alec Pearce has given up cricket for association football. He will be sadly missed in the Inter-port side next October if he persists in this.

The Civil Service also have their difficulties as neither Griffiths nor Wallington can turn out as I understand Queen's College have their sports on. It should be quite a good game.

The H.K.C.C. second will probably be very depleted but they may yet manage to beat the Civil Service second. The game is on the C.S.C.C. ground, I believe. There are two non League games down—T.I.C.C. II against the Sappers and Kowloon second against the Navy second. I think the home teams should win.

### FIXTURES

The difficulties that are being experienced as regards getting through the later fixtures in this season to my mind amply justify the attack I make early on upon the present method of arranging the fixture list at the beginning of the season, and I make no apology for reverting to the subject in the hope that I may annoy people into getting things done better at the beginning of next season.

Things are in a mess at the end of this season. So they were last year. So they have been for years. And all because the League Secretaries try to fix up everything at the one meeting of the League, and then rearrange later. And it does not work.

Consider, some of you, on what date you got your printed fixture list from your Club! The League Authorities should control this fixture list. I know we had an Inter-port this year played in the Colony. We shall probably have one played at Shanghai in October—unless we make it too hasty.

There should be a lot of runs in that side, unless Gosano has a few inspired overs!

For the bowling, Goodwin will presumably look to himself and Lee with Willie Hung, Smith, and Gittins. By the way I shall be interested to see if the ground is big enough to hold the latter—or Smith—if Gosano really gets going with the bat!

### CRUCIAL POINTS

There seem to me to be certain points on which the result hangs. In the first place if the K.C.C. can win the toss and put the University in they will have taken a good step on the road to victory. Remember, it is not a question of anything but a win or loss.

They might just as well be beaten as draw the game. And when that is the case it is now the general opinion that to put your opponents in is the sound scheme.

The next point is, when the University do bat, can their first wicket take the sting out of the K.C.C. first pair of bowlers sufficiently to pave the way for a big innings by Gosano? With him going at one end the other University batsmen always play 100 per cent. better.

And there is the point that always exists—are the K.C.C. going to hold their catches? I confess I have not seen a great deal of them this season—(though I hope to make up for this next month)—but I have heard it whispered as if the fielding has not been up to its old standard, and that while some very brilliant catches have been taken, too many reasonable ones have been put on the carpet. They can't afford to do this to day.

### THE VARSITY TACTICS

Now there are two things I don't know about the University—in this match I mean of course—and one of those is the exact composition of the team. But I have reason to believe that both Gosano and Ozorio will be back. As they stand to the Varsity eleven as Goodwin and Robert Lee do to K.C.C., this is rather important. But I believe all is well.

The other thing I don't know is what tactics Gosano will employ, and what attitude he will take up as regards the match. He would be best advised in my mind if he adopted the same order as he did in the I.R.C. match, opening with Fong and Tata and carrying on with Kido and then himself, unless a long stand is made for the opening pair when he should move up to first wicket. I presume he will bowl himself as much as possible at one end. His bad is better than most of the other people's good except Ozorio.

Personally I should imagine he is physically fit enough to bowl the whole time—but if he has to have a spell I should recommend someone who bowls just short of a length outside the off stump, rather than donkey-drops. One should not ride as expertly as the horse.

Still more important perhaps is the attitude he adopts. He may join in the K.C.C. feeling and play to win or lose; or he may play to win or draw. He would be entirely justified in taking either course and the decision must rest with him alone. In any case I am sure we shall see a most excellent and most sporting game and



S. R. KERMANI

## TO-DAY'S RACES

### HEROD IS NOT RUNNING

## MY SELECTIONS

(By "Captain Foster")

It is learned on good authority that Herod, the favourite for the Mira Bay Handicap "A" Class, is "doxy" and will not run in the main event, the Sub-Griffins Spring Handicap and the popular silk "Crimson; yellow cap" has no other representative. The jockey, Mr. Deltz, will take Tiny Star, the winner of the Royal Navy Cup at the Annual Race Meeting, for the Sub-Griffins Spring Handicap.

# STAND COURT COMES INTO USE NEXT MONDAY FOR CHAMPIONSHIPS

TSUI BROS: V. RUMJAHN COUSINS

## GOLDMAN AND PEARCE IN LAST EIGHT

(Continued from Page 8.)

into the ball all the time and found himself required to hit the ball with his elbow close into the hips. Any body can tell you the result of that type of stroke. It was little better when invading the forecourt, generally taking the ball too late on the volley and too early overhead.

In Tak-cheuk saw the pair from annihilation in two sets. Comdr. he pulled out some lovely shots—ace volleys and passing drives. Overhead he was vulnerable, especially when driven back to half court or further. But on the whole his play compared favourably with the winners, and if his brother had given him anything like adequate support I think the result would have been reversed.

### EASY WINS

Both Lai Kwong-lsun and H. D. Rumjahn enjoyed comfortable passages into the quarter-finals of the singles. Lai, placing the ball very accurately, and driving with power on the forehand, out-paced and out-placed J. W. Leonard, who defended very well, but not well enough.

Leonard most of the time made the mistake of returning the ball to Lai's forehand, which is his stroke-in-chief. Leonard might have earned himself a few more games if he had pegged away at Lai's backhand, which cannot, by any stretch of the imagination, be called an attacking stroke.

Open Doubles.—T. A. Pearce and L. Goldman v. E. C. Flincher and W.

Open Doubles.—M. K. and M. W. Lo v. Paul Kong and Lai Kwong-tsun; Lee Wal-tong and Luk Ding-cheung v. S. A. Gray and A. Crawford.

Club Championship.—W. A. S. Grant v. G. Polignac; E. Bathurst v. D. M. Macdougall.

Handicap Singles.—H. J. Armstrong v. T. C. Monghan; G. E. R. Divett v. M. Pagh.

Handicap Doubles.—L. Forster and L. T. Ridge v. A. C. I. Bowker and A. K. Mackenzie.

### TUESDAY

Open Doubles.—T. A. Pearce and L. Goldman v. E. C. Flincher and W.

Open Doubles.—M. K. and M. W. Lo v. Paul Kong and Lai Kwong-tsun; Lee Wal-tong and Luk Ding-cheung v. S. A. Gray and A. Crawford.

Club Championship.—W. A. S. Grant v. G. Polignac; E. Bathurst v. D. M. Macdougall.

Handicap Singles.—H. J. Armstrong v. T. C. Monghan; G. E. R. Divett v. M. Pagh.

Handicap Doubles.—L. Forster and L. T. Ridge v. A. C. I. Bowker and A. K. Mackenzie.

### WEDNESDAY

Open Doubles.—T. A. Pearce and L. Goldman v. E. C. Flincher and W.

Open Doubles.—M. K. and M. W. Lo v. Paul Kong and Lai Kwong-tsun; Lee Wal-tong and Luk Ding-cheung v. S. A. Gray and A. Crawford.

Club Championship.—W. A. S. Grant v. G. Polignac; E. Bathurst v. D. M. Macdougall.

Handicap Singles.—H. J. Armstrong v. T. C. Monghan; G. E. R. Divett v. M. Pagh.

Handicap Doubles.—L. Forster and L. T. Ridge v. A. C. I. Bowker and A. K. Mackenzie.

Open Doubles.—T. A. Pearce and L. Goldman v. E. C. Flincher and W.

## HOCKEY CHAMPIONS

### Lady Cup Winners To Meet The Rest

The hockey match between the Central British Association Ladies, champions of the Ocer Clark Cup competition, and the Rest, will be played at Shunkpoon to-day at 3.15 p.m., and not to-morrow morning as previously announced.

Prior to this match the H.K. Ladies Hockey Club, winners of the Brown Cup, will be opposed to the Rest. A strong team has been selected to represent the Rest against the Ocer Clark champions. The side is as follows:

Mrs. J. Lunson (H.K. Ladies); Miss E. M. Gray (H.K. Ladies) and Miss A. Fowler (Y. Ladies); Miss J. Wong (St. Andrew's); Miss E. Xavier (Club do Recreio); Miss M. Bell (H.K. Ladies); Miss O. Dalziel (Y. Ladies); Miss S. Dalziel (Y. Ladies), Mrs. M. Read (Y. Ladies) and Miss M. Westcott (Y. Ladies).

At the conclusion of the matches, Mrs. T. E. Pearce, President of the Hongkong Ladies Hockey Association, will present the season's trophies.

### C. Hung.

Open Singles.—Tennie Kwok v. A. V. Gossano.

Handicap Singles.—A. C. I. Bowker v. J. Thompson; E. Bathurst v. W. P. Lucy.

Handicap Doubles.—J. and G. S. Rodger v. W. W. McKenzie and D. S. Robb.

# KHO SIN-KIE SHOWS BIG IMPROVEMENT AGAINST LEWIS CARSON

## IN SHANGHAI TENNIS EXHIBITION

### Two Days Race Programme

AT VALLEY ON APRIL 11, 12

The programme for the Third Extra Meeting of the Hongkong Jockey Club for April 11 and 12 appears below:

1.12.30 p.m.—Canton Handicap—For China Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. One Mile.

2.1.00 p.m.—New Bridge Handicap—For Australian Ponies, "A" Class. Jockey Allowance. Five Furlongs.

3.2.30 p.m.—Fatshan Handicap—First Section—For China Ponies, "C" Class. Griffins of this season that have won \$750 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Six Furlongs.

Note:—One Entry only will be made for the Fatshan Handicap (Races Nos. 3 and 9). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

4.3 p.m.—Shek Fai Handicap—For China Ponies, "A" Class. Winners of \$5,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1936, barred. Jockey Allowance. Five Furlongs.

5.3.30 p.m.—Swatow Handicap—First Section—For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this season that have won \$750 or less in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. One Mile.

Note:—One Entry only will be made for the Swatow Handicap (Races Nos. 5 and 10). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

6.4 p.m.—St. George's Plate—A Handicap for China Ponies, Griffins of this season. Jockey Allowance. One and a Quarter Miles.

7.1.30 p.m.—Kongmun Handicap—For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this season. Winners of more than \$750 in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. One Mile.

8.3 p.m.—Sl. Kilda Handicap—For Australian Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

9.3.30 p.m.—Fatshan Handicap—Second Section—For China Ponies, "C" Class. Griffins of this season that have won \$750 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Six Furlongs.

10.4.30 p.m.—Swatow Handicap—Second Section—For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this season that have won \$750 or less in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. One Mile.

Note:—One Entry only will be made for the Swatow Handicap (Races Nos. 6 and 9). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

11.5.30 p.m.—Kellest Hill Handicap—First Section—For China Ponies, "D" Class. Griffins of this Club of this season that have not won a race, barred. Jockey Allowance. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

Note:—One Entry only will be made for the Kellest Hill Handicap (Races Nos. 3 and 7). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

12.6.30 p.m.—Easter Stakes—For China Ponies. Weight 145 lb. Winners at any time of one race, 5 lb; of 2 races, 7 lb; of 3 races, 10 lb; of 4 or more races, 15 lb; penalty. One Mile.

13.3.30 p.m.—Morrison Hill Handicap—Second Section—For China Ponies, "C" Class. Griffins of this season that have won \$750 or less in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

Note:—One Entry only will be made for the Morrison Hill Handicap (Races Nos. 6 and 9). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

14.4.30 p.m.—Pak-p'um Handicap—For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this season. Winners barred. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Six Furlongs.

Daily Double Event:—Fifth and Seventh Races.

Entries close at Noon on Thursday, April 2.

## ITALY WAIVES CLAIM

### For 1940 Olympics

Count Michimasa Soshima, of the Japanese Olympic Committee, has announced the receipt of a communication from Signor Giacinto Auriti, Italian Ambassador to Tokyo, announcing Italy's withdrawal of her claim to the 1940 Olympiad.

The communication also revealed Italy's intention to support Japan's bid for the XII Olympic Games, in opposition to Finland, the only other rival.

On his arrival here last week, Count Auriti pointed out that although Italy had renounced her claims last October, she had not taken any official action in the matter. In response, Signor Auriti cabled Rome for instructions.

## LIKE A DAGGER IN HER BACK

### Fixed With Rheumatism

A woman correspondent writes:—"I was crippled with pains stabbing me like a dagger in the lower part of my back. From there they would go from joint to joint, almost fixing my shoulders so that I could not move my arms up and down for pain. At times I thought I would never rid myself of this terrible agony. I walked the room night after night with no sleep for week after week. I tried lotions of all kinds, but got no relief whatever. Then I tried Kruschen Salts, and started straight away with the wonderful results which I am obtaining at this present moment. I am reaping great benefit from Kruschen. It has put new life in me." (Mrs.) E. F.

The pains and stiffness of rheumatism are caused by deposits of needle-pointed uric acid crystals in the muscles and joints. The salts in Kruschen stimulate your liver and kidneys to healthy, regular action; assist them to get rid of the excess uric acid which is the cause of all your suffering.

Moreover, the salts in Kruschen are arranged with such scientific exactitude that there is no possibility of lowering after-effects, however censured.

## Five Badminton Matches

(Continued from Page 8.)

St. John's	18	8	10	73	89	16
Fire Brigade	19	8	11	66	93	18
V.R.C.	17	4	13	47	88	8
Kowloon Tong	22	3	10	49	104	6
St. Andrew's	14	2	17	34	102	2
S. and S. Home	17	1	16	30	134	2

## MIXED DOUBLES

### RECREIO "B" v. S. & S. HOME

At King's Park last night, Recreio "B" beat the Sailors' and Soldiers' Home by 7 games to 2:—

Xavier and Mrs. Eva Leung (Recreio "B") beat Mr. Harry and Mrs. Brown 21-17; best W. Hall and Mrs. Jones 21-17; best B. Hall and Miss M. Dolg 21-17.

H. Gossano and Miss M. Heiberto (Recreio "B") beat Harry and Irene 28-25; best Brown and Jones 21-21; best Hall and Dolg 21-17.

A. Alves and Miss A. Remedios (Recreio "B") beat Harry and Brown 16-21; best Brown and Jones 21-18; best Hall and Dolg 14-21.

### C.R.C. v. TAIKOO

At Quarry Bay last night, the Chinese Recreation Club beat the Taikoo Recreation Club by 9 games to nil:—

C. Summers and Miss R. Summers (Taikoo) lost to S. P. Chan and Miss W. Cheung 8-21; lost to H. T. Woo and Miss Ulian Kho 16-21; best W. Li and Mrs. Jones 21-17; best B. Hall and Miss M. Dolg 21-17.

H. Gossano and Miss M. Heiberto (Taikoo) lost to Chan and Cheung 8-21; lost to Woo and Kho 8-21; lost to Liang and Perry 11-21.

A. Norrie and Miss I. Cunningham (Taikoo) lost to Chan and Cheung 7-21; best Liang and Perry 11-21; best Liang and Perry 11-21.

### ST. ANDREW'S v. KOWLOON TONG

Played at St. Andrew's Church Hall, the home team winning by six games to three:—

W. W. Wong (St. Andrew's) lost to S. P. Chan and Miss W. Cheung 8-21; best W. Li and Mrs. Jones 16-21; best P. C. Leung and Miss I. Wooler 21-14; best G. C. White and Miss I. Wooler 21-17.

E. G. Fincher and Miss M. Churn (St. Andrew's) lost to G. C. White and Mackenzie 21-21; best Leung and Anderson 21-21; best White and Wooler 21-12.

H. K. Lee and Miss Dawson (St. Andrew's) lost to Gray and Mackenzie 18-21; best Leung and Anderson 21-21; best White and Wooler 18-21.

### LEAGUE TABLE

	P. W.	L.	F. A.	Pts.
C.R.C.	15	13	2	106
Fire Brigade	16	13	3	107
Recreio "A"	13	12	7	12
Recreio "B"	15	8	7	70
St. John's	14	7	7	64
St. Andrew's	14	6	8	48
Kowloon Tong	10	3	18	46
Taikoo	11	2	9	2

SPORTING TERMS EXEMPLIFIED BY

H.B.

Beer!



"An intercepted pass!"

— Obtainable Everywhere —

DISTRIBUTORS H. RUTTONJEE & SON DINAH HOUSE, DUDDELL ST.

"Uncle Eddie's" junior prize in the Children's Competition this week is the game "Popping the Pots."



For  
Prices  
and  
Further

Particulars Please Apply to

**JOHN I. THORNYCROFT & CO., LTD.**  
SOUTH CHINA OFFICE

Pioneer Building, Nathan Road, Kowloon.

Telephone: 56752.

TRUST A THORNYCROFT WITH YOUR TRANSPORT

## U.S. INVESTIGATION OF MUNITIONS TRADE: WASHINGTON REVIEW

### LEGISLATION IN AMERICA

Washington, Mar. 18. Some of the mystery surrounding Sir Basil Zaharoff, Europe's super arms salesman, Spanish duke and British Knight of the Garter, was lifted when youthful Senator Gerald P. Nye, Republican, North Dakota, banged his gavel to start the inquiry more than 17 months ago.

Now, as the investigation approaches an end and Congress is busy trying to draft legislation to keep the nation out of war, the record shows a series of sensational disclosures.

The white-whiskered "maker and breaker of kings" probably was enjoying the warm sunshine on one of his Mediterranean villas when the investigation began on September 4, 1934, but his name made news in the marble pillared room where many famous men faced Senate committees.

Moving rapidly, investigators disclosed that from 1919 to 1930 the Electric Boat Company of Groton, Connecticut, paid commissions totalling \$700,000 to Sir Basil, whose munitions dealings in Europe cover half a century. It was shown his services were to "do the needful" in holding a Spanish contract against competition from German and Italian submarine companies.

Witnesses described Zaharoff as a man with "a very brilliant mind," but they could not throw light on his many activities. Few had met him; none knew his nationality. From the record, the committee learned that he enjoyed a close relationship with officials of several European governments and he was a master at the art of influencing men to buy war materials from the firms he represented.

**Committee's Record**

At the end of its first week, the committee claimed to have made this record:

That officers of the Electric Boat Company gave Sir Basil free advice on how to avoid payment of U.S. income taxes;

That Sir Basil counselled the American firm on the technique of "lobbying" successfully with the U.S. Navy Department, and prevailed upon it to use its influence to get the State Department to help it sell submarines to Spain;

That the company had a secret agreement with Vickers, Ltd., huge British arms manufacturing concern, under which the two firms divided the markets of the world and shared profits and patent secrets;

That American submarine patent secrets passed freely into the hands of the British government and eventually reached Germany where some of them were used in building the U-boats that sank allied vessels during the World War;

That at the time of the Tacna-Arica dispute the submarine firm negotiated for sales to Peru and at the same time coached Vickers or how to obtain business from Chile, Peru's enemy;

That the War Department turned over its secret plans for anti-aircraft guns to an American manufacturer so that he could make the weapons and sell them to Poland;

That the Navy Department authorized a voyage of the cruiser Raleigh to Constantinople so that it could be used as a "sample case" by an American firm seeking business from the Turkish government;

That alleged bribery was a common practice of certain munition companies and their salesmen, and that a British firm once informed its American associate, "we fully understand that armament deals are not usually done without officials getting greased."

**Prominence Fads**

Zaharoff's prominence faded as the committee swung into an examination of war profits, individual salesmanship, methods, war preparations, and a score of other subjects. Before it had completed the first phase of its inquiry, the committee had stuffed its record with references to many famous men, dead and alive.

### FARMER KNITS FOR A LIVING

London, Mar. 26.

Alfred Fincher, a farmer of Wallasea, when answering a summons at Southend told the magistrates that he had been so reduced by various charges on his farm that he could only earn his living by knitting stockings. He had had to sell all his stock and was living in a stable with his dog.

Anxious to develop sensational evidence quickly, the committee stumbled into numerous vigorous protests as a result of its disclosures relating to prominent officials abroad.

Secretary of State Cordell Hull imposed a censorship on the committee after British Ambassador Sir Ronald Lindsay objected because the name of the late King George V. was entered into the records.

Investigators created a stir September 7 when they disclosed the King had attempted to block an American munitions sale to Poland in an effort to swing the new business to a British firm.

It wasn't long before the committee heard additional protests from foreign nations. Objections were sent to Hull after evidence was offered showing that agents of the Du Pont Powder Company had engaged the services of the son of the President of Argentina in 1931 to explain the "highly technical details" of a powder factory proposal.

Before ending the first phase of its inquiry, the committee made a partial survey of war profits. Taking the records of the Du Pont Co., it was shown that the firm's earnings increased from \$4,997,000 in 1914 to \$86,000,000 in 1916. Assets of the company grew from \$74,000,000 in 1913 to \$308,000,000 in 1918.

The most prominent example of how capital investment grew was shown in a report on the Pratt and Whitney Aircraft Co. The firm started out with an original investment of \$1,000. For this investment 5,000 shares of no par stock were issued at 20 cents a share. Returns through 1932 on the original investment were about \$11,437,250 or 1,143,725 per cent.

The committee showed large increases in the amount of business obtained by American companies in Germany despite provisions in the Versailles treaty restricting Germany's rearmament programme. United Aircraft Co. sales through Germany increased from \$2,000 in 1931 to \$1,445,000 in the first eight months of 1934.

Reports to the Du Pont Co. and other American arms corporations in 1933 and 1934 told of a tremendous increase in the contraband of arms and ammunition into Germany. —United Press.

TEA-DANCE  
5 to 7.30 p.m.

SUNDAY

29

MARCH

(\$2.00 per person)

WITH THE CLEVER PERSONALITY PAIR

GLADYS

AND

KUSSEROW

DANCERS EXTRAORDINARY

THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI HOTELS, LTD.

CARPETS

AND

RUGS

- No Colour Fading.
- No Wear and Tear.
- No Offensive Odor.

Storage  
arranged with  
The Dairy Farm, Ico  
and Cold Storage Co., Ltd.

SHAMPOOED

The Steam Laundry Co.  
PHONE 57032  


CIVIL

AVIATION

AS A

CAREER



TRAINING IN ALL  
BRANCHES OF FLYING AND  
GROUND ENGINEERING.

PROSPECTUS SUPPLIED WITHOUT  
ANY OBLIGATION

APPLY TO

Far East Flying Training School

KAI TAK AIRPORT

HONGKONG

WANTED AT ONCE

MEN'S AND BOYS' CLOTHING,

SHOES, HATS, ETC.

will be very gratefully received by the

HONGKONG BENEVOLENT SOCIETY  
DAILY PRESS BUILDING  
ICE HOUSE STREET

MONDAYS & THURSDAYS

from 10.30 a.m. to 12.00 noon.

Send us your old clothes

**STOP THAT COUGH**

THE sure means of relief from coughing is EVANS' Pastilles. In the process of dissolving they send penetrating antiseptic vapours into every crevice, relieving congestion and soothing inflammation. Carry them with you against colds and sore throats. In the neat little flat packet, as provided, in each bottle of EVANS' ANTISEPTIC THROAT PASTILLES.

OBTAINABLE  
at Chemists.

Made in England to a Recipe of the Unrivalled Throat Healer.

# MEUKOW BRANDY



*"The doctor in the Home"*

Fine Brandy—Reasonably Priced—on which you can rely in any emergency and which satisfies the most fastidious palate.

Obtainable Everywhere.

Sole Distributors:—

**H. RUTTONJEE & SON**

Dina House — Duddell Street

# PEPSODENT

NOW IN A NEW  
10% LARGER TUBE

You now get  
**MORE TOOTH PASTE  
FOR LESS MONEY**

same high quality

For years people have willingly bought Pepsodent . . . rather than save a few pennies and endanger teeth with harsh, "bargain" dentifrices. They have always preferred Pepsodent for two reasons. First, because it is a "special film-removing tooth paste." It effectively removes from teeth the sticky, gummy coating that forms on them . . . dulls and discolors them . . . gives tooth decay germs to them. Second, because Pepsodent removes this film safely—without danger of injury to tooth enamel.

Today Pepsodent offers you more for your money than ever before. For it now comes to you in a new, 10% larger tube. You get more tooth paste for less money. The formula is unchanged. In every way Pepsodent is still the same high-quality product it has always been.

So take advantage of this extra saving. Get one of the new larger tubes of Pepsodent Tooth Paste today.

**PEPSODENT**

THE SPECIAL FILM-REMOVING TOOTH PASTE



## G-MEN ASKED TO SMASH U.S. CRIME

Washington, Mar. 15. Big-jawed, black-eyed J. Edgar Hoover, chief of the famous federal detectives called "G" men, has offered the national plan to rid it of the 1,445,000 crime cases it suffers a year.

Fresh from a campaign which made kidnapping a rarity within a few months after he got Congressional power to crush it, Hoover says other flourishing crimes can be suppressed if police get the power. It will take a break-down of the ancient system now in operation by which police have control over only small local areas, he asserted.

Hoover is no relation to the former president of the same name, but he is nearly as famous because of the success his "operators" in the Federal Bureau of Investigation had against kidnappers. Out of 62 cases submitted to the bureau after kidnapping was declared by Congress to be a federal crime, all have been solved and most of the offenders apprehended.

His men are called "G" men, as short for Government men, and in contrast to local or state police.

### Short "Arm Of Law"

Crime thrives throughout the United States chiefly because the "arm of the law" is so short, and the miles a criminal can travel in modern times so great, according to Hoover. Instead of being able to reach across the continental span of the United States to seize criminals speeding from the scenes of their violence, police are confined generally to operation in tiny local areas; City limits, county or state boundaries, stop most of them.

Discussing the general crime problem, Hoover said:

"The scope, the magnitude of crime as it exists, reaches staggering figures. Last year in the United States there was an estimated total of 1,445,581 serious crimes. In one year alone, almost one in a half million major crimes were committed against the citizens of this country."

"In other words, there was crime of desperate proportions—auto theft, burglary, aggravated assault, robbery, manslaughter, rape and murder—committed against one of every 84 persons in this country."

### Petty Criminals

Hoover emphasised that most criminals start in petty local breaches of the law and then expand their operations into wider, more violent actions. He cited this as a double reason for relaxation of the laws regarding police activity. The local police must be stricter in enforcing laws so as to prevent the start of crime, and be freer to co-operate with each other in suppression of big crime.

The present system of localised police control, arose from the virtual independence of states in the early days of the nation. Federal police were not permitted to interfere with local affairs. This has permitted thousands of criminals to escape punishment by crossing state border lines of which there are more than 120,000 miles in the U.S.

"All of us know," said Hoover, "too well that there is a beaten track of criminality moving from the Gulf of Mexico to the Canadian border, with side shoots which often reach to the coastlines of the Atlantic and the Pacific. Crime, when it becomes a truly predatory thing, knows no boundaries."

### Police Blocked By Law

"However, the harassed officer who must pursue that criminal finds himself blocked by statutes and laws at city, county, or state lines. Therefore, in the apprehension of these predatory characters, it becomes necessary to overcome almost insurmountable obstacles."

"If the pursuit by an officer must stop at a county line, then indeed law is outwitted unless the officer of the next county takes up the chase, and the officers of other states assist, plus the action of such organisations of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, of which I am proud to be the head."

"The adage of the chain being no stronger than its weakest link is here exemplified. Let co-operation fail and the chase indeed becomes a difficult one."

"The Federal Bureau of Investigation believes that the secret of crime eradication lies in solidarity and the combined linking of all law enforcement agencies. Much already has been done along this line and with every forging of a new link in this chain of co-operation, we find an added impetus in the war against crime."

"Hoover pointed out that the national system of finger-printing already had produced great results and helped apprehend criminals as far away as Egypt and South Africa.

In the recent kidnapping case of Charles F. Urschel, the trail of the criminals spread from the state of Oklahoma into Texas.

"From Texas," Hoover said, "it spread to an expanse of the United States greater than that of continental Europe, and led to the wiping out, not only of a kidnap band, but of all the roots of crime which had supported this band. Persons who had harboured the criminals were taken before the bar of justice. Others who had assisted them in hiding or passing the money were convicted.

# WRECKED!



When Headaches, Pain, Colds, Flu or numerous other minor ailments attack you, you need quick and speedy relief. Don't take chances. Play safe with medicine. Avoid any risk of dangerous after effects on your system by refusing to countenance medicaments containing powerful drugs, narcotics and potent nostrums. You can obtain quick and speedy relief with 'ASPRO.' It is pure medicine and conforms to the standard of purity laid down by the British Pharmacopoeia (the guiding authority of the Medical Profession). Furthermore, 'ASPRO' neither harms the heart nor stomach. 'ASPRO' has proved its safe and speedy action by positive results for over 18 years.

# ASPRO

Is SAFE BECAUSE IT IS PURE

Distributors: DODWELL & CO., LTD. Three Packings. 5's. 10's. 27's.

## A Super Tyre for Every Purpose

### INDIA

#### RANGE OF GIANT TYRES

##### GIANT HIGH PRESSURE (Ribbed)

(Illustration to right)

For Heavy Service Vehicles and Buses. This type gives exceptionally long mileage, combined with nonskid properties.

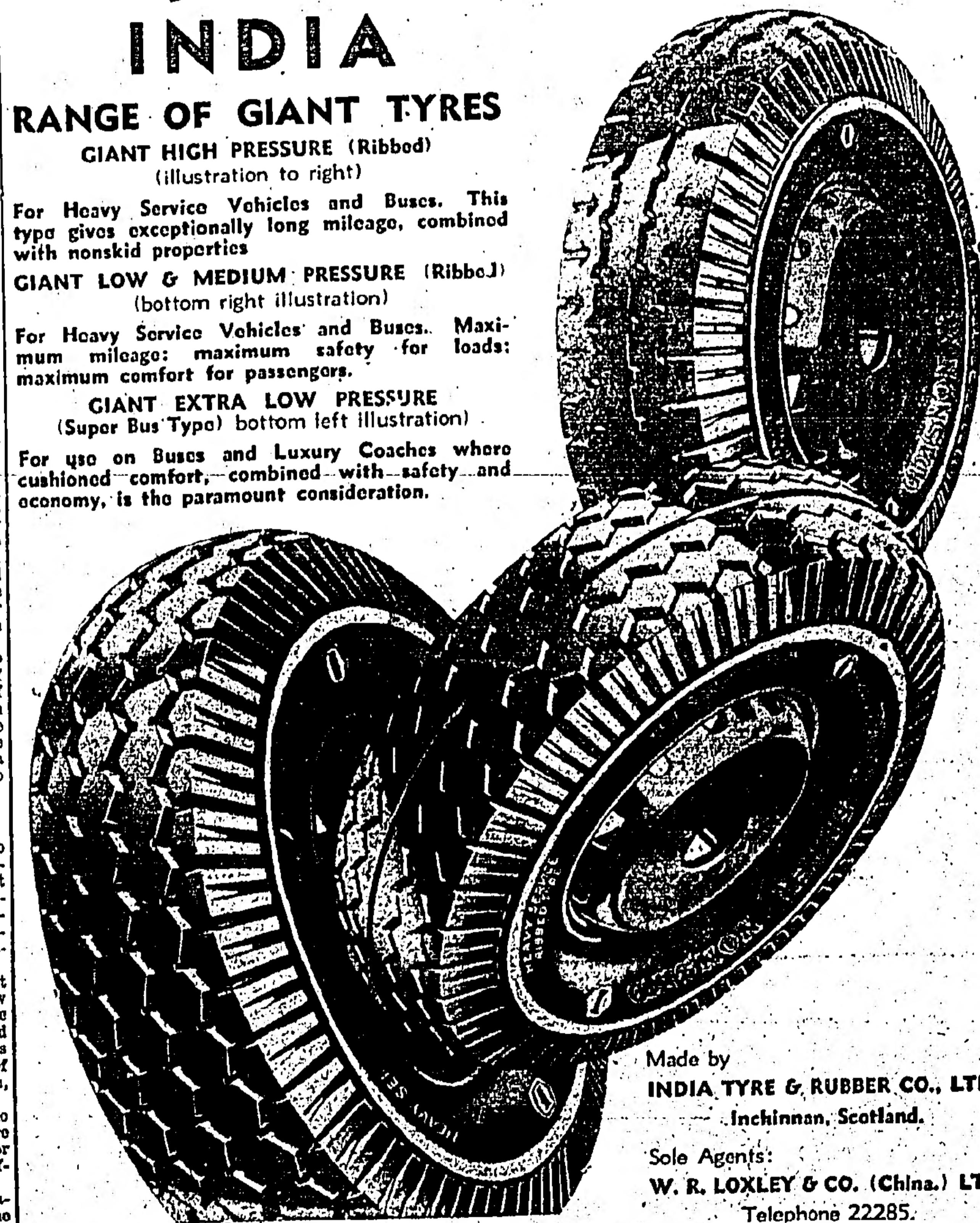
##### GIANT LOW & MEDIUM PRESSURE (Ribbed)

(bottom right illustration)

For Heavy Service Vehicles and Buses. Maximum mileage; maximum safety for loads; maximum comfort for passengers.

##### GIANT EXTRA LOW PRESSURE (Super Bus Type) bottom left illustration)

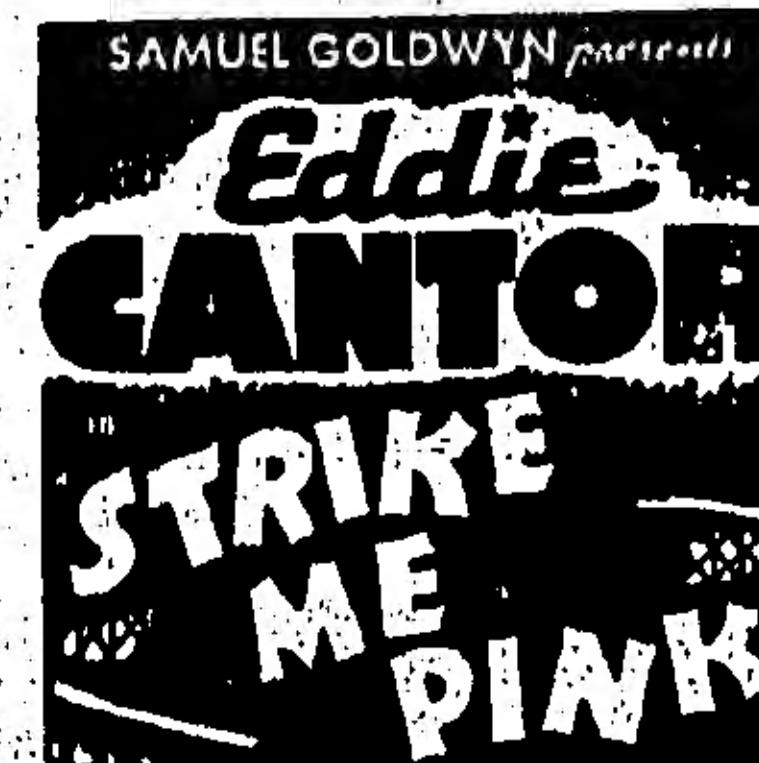
For use on Buses and Luxury Coaches where cushioned comfort, combined with safety and economy, is the paramount consideration.



Made by  
**INDIA TYRE & RUBBER CO., LTD.**,  
Inchinnan, Scotland.

Sole Agents:  
**W. R. LOXLEY & CO. (China) LTD.**,  
Telephone 22285.

## COMING TO THE • KING'S •



*Mmm! Just 4 days to Collegiate!*

The MING YUEN STUDIO has removed to the 3rd Floor of No. 6 Queen's Road Central.

JUST OPPOSITE the Dairy Farm's Soda Fountain.

# Canadian Pacific

EMPERESS OF CANADA  
SAILS FOR VANCOUVER via SHANGHAI, JAPAN & HONOLULU  
AT NOON  
FRIDAY, APRIL 3rd.

	Hong Kong	Shang-hai	Nagasaki	Kobe	Yoko-hama	Honolulu	Van couver	Victoria	Arrive
Steamer	Leave	Arrive	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive		
E/Canada	April 8	April 5	April 8	April 10	April 17	April 22			
E/Russia	April 17	April 19	April 21	April 23	April 25				
E/Japan	May 1	May 8	May 6	May 8	May 14	May 4			
E/Asia	May 16	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23	May 19			
E/Canada	May 29	May 31	June 3	June 5	June 12	June 17			
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20	June 29			
E/Japan	June 28	June 28	July 1	July 3	July 9	July 14			
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18	July 27			
E/Canada	July 24	July 20	July 29	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 12			
E/Russia	Aug. 7	Aug. 9	Aug. 11	Aug. 13	Aug. 15	Aug. 24			
E/Japan	Aug. 21	Aug. 23	Aug. 26	Aug. 28	Sept. 3	Sept. 8			
E/Asia	Sept. 4	Sept. 6	Sept. 8	Sept. 10	Sept. 12	Sept. 21			
E/Canada	Sept. 18	Sept. 20	Sept. 23	Sept. 25	Oct. 2	Oct. 7			

TO MANILA  
EMPERESS OF RUSSIA April 9th.  
Full information from your own Agent or

CANADIAN PACIFIC  
Union Building.  
Tel. 20752.

N.Y.K.  
LINE  
General Passenger Agents in the Orient for the  
CUNARD WHITE STAR LINE.  
San Francisco via Shanghai, Japan Ports & Honolulu.  
Chichiburi Maru ..... Wed., 1st April  
Tatsuta Maru ..... Wed., 22nd April  
Asama Maru ..... Wed., 6th May  
Seattle & Vancouver.  
Ihio Maru (starts from Kobe) Mon., 6th April  
Ihio Maru (starts from Kobe) Sat., 25th April  
London, Marseilles, Antwerp & Rotterdam.  
Fushimi Maru ..... Sat., 28th March  
Hakozaki Maru ..... Sat., 11th April  
Terukuni Maru ..... Fri., 24th April  
Kamo Maru ..... Sat., 25th April  
Sydney & Melbourne via Manila & Ports.  
Bombay via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.  
Towana Maru ..... Sat., 28th March  
Genoa Maru ..... Mon., 6th April  
Tango Maru ..... Sat., 11th April  
South America (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu,  
Los Angeles, Mexico & Panama.  
Bokuto Maru ..... Thurs., 9th April  
Nakao Maru ..... Sat., 7th April  
Noshiro Maru ..... Sun., 3rd May  
Liverpool via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus,  
Genoa & Valencia. .... Thurs., 9th April  
Lima Maru ..... Thurs., 9th April  
Calcutta via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon. .... Apr. 11  
Nagato Maru ..... Sun., 29th March  
Tobu Maru ..... Tues., 7th April  
Shanghai, Kobo & Yokohama. .... Apr. 11  
Ginno Maru ..... Sat., 28th March  
Haruna Maru ..... Fri., 10th April  
Cargo only. ....  
Burns Philp Lines, Joint Passenger Agents.  
Gibb Livingston & Co., Ltd. ....  
Tel. 30291.

M M  
MESSAGERIES MARITIMES  
FRENCH MAIL STEAMERS.  
Sailings from Hongkong.

To MARSEILLE via Sâo Gon, Singapore, Colombo, Djibouti, (Aden), Suva, Port-Said.  
Andre Lebon ..... 10th Apr.  
Maréchal Joffre ..... 21st Apr.  
Aramis ..... 5th May  
Chenonceaux ..... 19th May

We can issue through tickets to Egypt, Syrian ports

East Africa, Madagascar by transhipment on our mail steamers at Port-Said or Djibouti.

For full particulars apply to:  
Cie des MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

## Small Town Girl

(FROM WHICH METRO-GOLDWYN-MAYER HAS MADE A MOTION PICTURE)

### THE STORY THUS FAR

Kay Branman, late of Wellsey, elopes with Bob Dakin, modest doctor. He is drunk, but sober again, is horrified because of Priscilla, his fiancee. Priscilla openly insults Kay so Bob reluctantly consents to Kay's plea that they wait until Spring for a divorce. As the months pass Bob and Kay achieve a sort of strained companionship. Priscilla visits Carvel one day and Bob drives her home. Hours later he returns from a successful operation, highly jubilant. The hospital had located him at Priscilla's. But in the hours of waiting Kay has suffered. She knows now that she loves Bob and that she loves Priscilla. She leaves bidding no one goodbye but Bob's father. In Carvel, she settles down to a listless existence with Elmer Radford hovering around.

### CHAPTER XXIX

Kay enjoyed that summer in Carvel. Sometimes she remembered to be surprised at her own peace and content. Her first fearful shrinking from those old friends melted before their steady kindness, and with Gooey and Emily they made excursions to the near-by mountains, to some lake not too remote. Picnic suppers, swimming parties, or outings with no pretext at all. Emily was never active on these occasions; she had always the baby to tend, and she would sit above it, too.

"Remembering, are you?" Emily asked, smiling faintly. "Yes, Carvel is nice, Kay!"

"Even the gossip is really just their way of being interested and friendly, I think," Kay declared.

Emily shook her head, amused. "Everyone takes some satisfaction in other people's troubles," she admitted. "That's as true in Carvel as anywhere else. But I've been home here."

Kay had her most complete surprise when she met Elmer Radford again. She had encountered him in the Post Office. Instead of overalls and a broad leather belt hung with electricians' tools, he wore a decent suit, and his nails were clean, and he met her with not the least embarrassment.

"Hello, Kay!" he cried. "I heard you were back! Say, it's great to see you." He pumped her hands hard, looked at her with manifest admiration. "Staying long?" he demanded. "You'd better. Carvel's getting to be quite a summer resort, you know."

"I'll be here quite a while, I expect," Kay told him. And she could not wholly stifle her incredulous curiosity. "You're looking fine, Elmer. Not climbing miles and more?" "No, they dragged me into the office to help Mr. Pastor," Elmer explained.

Kay cried: "What you mean you're assistant superintendent?"

"Well, I suppose it's Elmer's pretty device," Kay said gently. "I used to dream sometimes that you might, some day."

She met his eyes steadily; and he sat up, leaning on one hand, looking down at her. Then he looked away and she could see only his cheek, the side of his head, the firm line of his jaw. And he said slowly, with out turning back to her:

"Maybe I'm speaking out of turn. I'm playing a hunch—Kay! Are you going to stay married to Bob for good and all?"

She did not answer at once, and he insisted swiftly: "Don't tell me unless you want to. It's none of my business, probably. I don't mean to hurt you."

His half was ruffled by wind. "I don't mind telling you," she said at last, gently. "I don't mind telling you this much. Bob's in Reno, getting a divorce from me, right now."

She saw the quick light in Elmer's eyes; and he leaned closer above her. "Kay!" he cried huskily. "I knew there was something!" And Kay, you know I've always..." He blurted. "Kay, when it's done, marry me!"

She watched him for a long time. "I used to laugh at you, Elmer," she agreed.

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He nodded. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

He agreed. "It's a grand view!"

She said nothing; and presently Elmer was gone. "Nice of him to say that," she remarked.

"Elmer's very thoughtful and considerate," she agreed. "I've grown fond of Elmer, Kay. And she said reflectively: "I've always liked to climb up here, with someone, or alone, and just sit and—watch the shadows move."

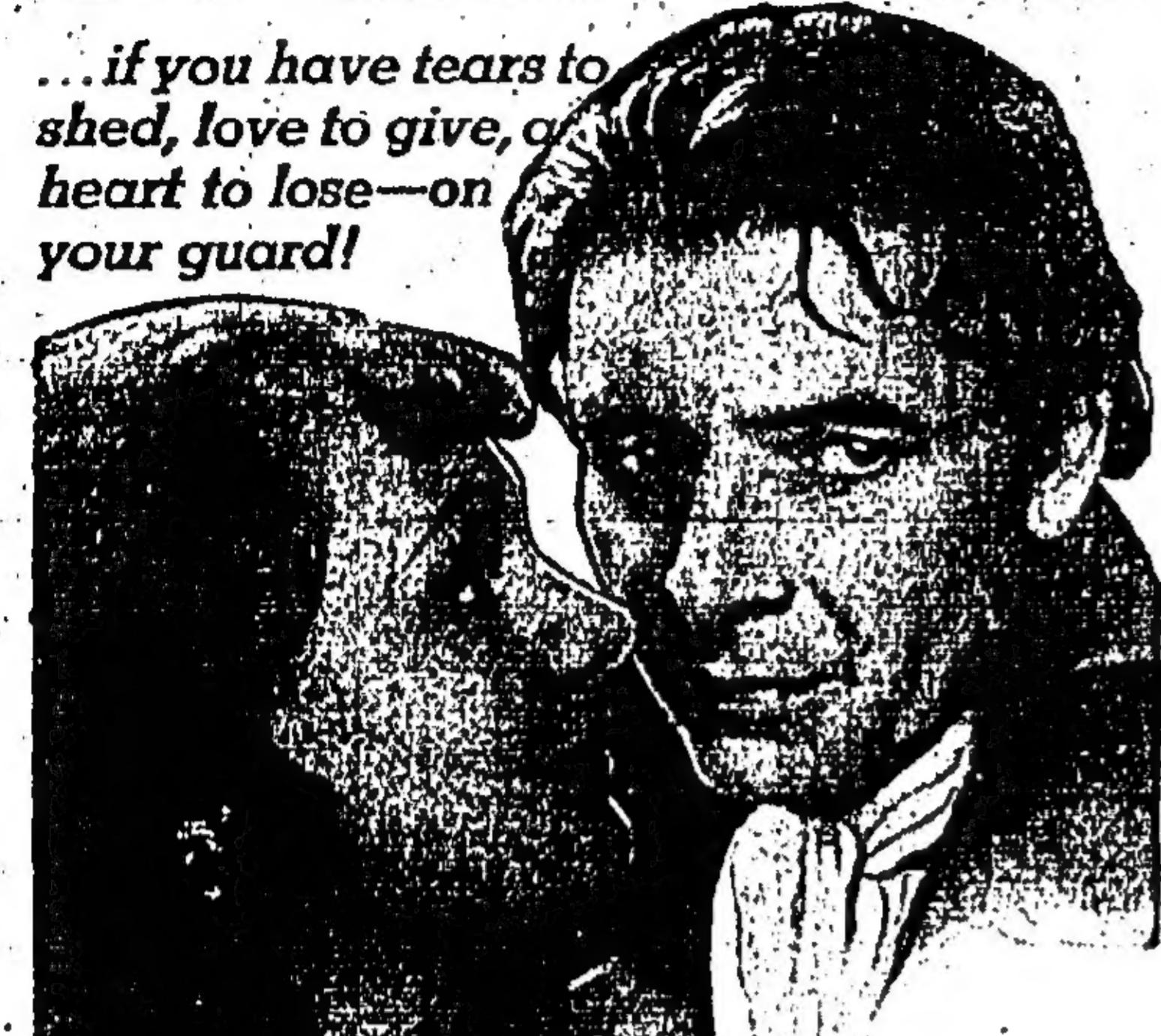
He agreed. "



Showing TO-DAY Simultaneously

**KING'S**  
HONG KONG**ALHAMBRA**  
KOWLOON

At 2.30, 5.10, 7.15 &amp; 9.30 p.m.: At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 &amp; 9.20 p.m.

**On Your Guard!***...if you have tears to shed, love to give, a heart to lose—on your guard!*

For M-G-M has spent two years... \$1,000,000 to bring you another romantic masterpiece to take its place with "Mutiny on the Bounty" and "David Copperfield" in the annals of the screen!

**RONALD COLMAN**  
in CHARLES DICKENS' Masterpiece  
**A TALE OF TWO CITIES**  
with a cast of 49,000, including:  
Elizabeth Allan • Edna May Oliver  
Reginald Owen • Basil Rathbone  
Blanche Yurka • Henry B. Walthall  
Directed by Jack Conway  
Produced by David O. Selznick  
Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer PICTURE

6 SHOWS DAILY 8.30-10.30 10.30-12.30  
**ORIENTAL** THEATRE  
LAST 4 TIMES TO-DAY

**THE BIG FUNNY MUSICAL SHOW.**

A grand aggregation of comedy stars that turn the swellest resort on the Pacific upside-down with merriment, music and mischief in the year's most joyous spectacular musical production.

**Conrad**  
JOHNNY DOWNS • BETTY BURGESS • JACK HALEY  
EDDY DUCHIN ANDY DEVINE  
A Paramount Picture  
THEATRE

**• TO-MORROW • MONDAY • TUESDAY •****VICTOR HUGO'S MASTERPIECE.**

THE GREATEST HUMAN STORY EVER WRITTEN BECOMES A SCREEN TRIUMPH.  
SENTENCED TO TEN YEARS IN THE GALLEYS!

And after that, he's free... free to live a life of terror... a hunted thing bereft of love, honour and a name! Night and day hell's horror will dog his foot-steps... no peace, no prospects, no promise! A soul-stabbing story with the screen's greatest actors in their mightiest roles!

**Fredric MARCH** **Charles LAUGHTON**  
VICTOR HUGO MASTERPIECE LIVES AGAIN  
**Les Misérables**

MATINEES: 20c. 30c. EVENINGS: 20c. 30c. 50c. 70c.

**ITALY DELAYS ACTION****NO RESPONSE TO WHITE PAPER****AND NO EFFORT TO END WAR**

Rome, March 27. Italy will not reply to the British White Paper on the Locarno Powers' proposals for the remedying of the disturbed European situation as a result of Germany's military occupation of the Rhineland and her unilateral denunciation of the Treaty of Locarno. This is the assertion of an authoritative spokesman.

The reason for Italy's refusal to reply, as one of the Locarno Powers' accredited to the manner in which the situation has developed,

It is also authoritatively stated that Signor Dino Grandi, the Italian Ambassador in London, has not been authorized to start negotiations with the Committee of Thirteen to settle the Italo-Ethiopian dispute.

The Italians consider that a number of questions, including those of procedure, must first be settled before negotiations commence.—Reuter.

**LOCARNO MEETING**

Paris, March 27. It is understood that the Locarno Powers should meet at Paris as soon as possible after the receipt of the German counter-proposals to their formula for the amelioration of the European tension. The German memorandum is expected to be delivered Tuesday, probably by Herr von Ribbentrop, in London. The Locarno Powers wish to discuss the German proposals immediately they are received.

April 3 is the date tentatively suggested for the meeting, but this has not thus far been confirmed.—Reuter.

**SAFETY FIRST****NEW LEGISLATION ON LIFTS**

The Gazette contains the draft of an Ordinance to amend the Buildings Ordinance, 1935, whereby the following addition is made after sub-section (4):

"Every such owner shall arrange, preferably by a contract of maintenance with the makers or suppliers of the lift or hoist concerned, or their agents or nominees in the Colony, for regular and adequate cleaning, oiling and adjustment service at such intervals as the type of equipment and nature of the service demands. At least once in every three years the said owner shall arrange that the safety gear and governor switch, if fitted, shall be subjected to a running test under maximum load and speed conditions, under the supervision of a competent engineer, and that a certificate shall be issued to him on the result of each test, such certificate to be signed by the engineer supervising the test. Every such certificate shall be kept by such owner and presented to the Building Authority for inspection whenever demanded."

The Objects and Reasons state that the new sub-section is added to the principal Ordinance with a view to the protection of the public by providing for adequate attention to lifts and hoists. The new sub-section (5) added to that section is mainly based on the provisions of section 8 (a) and (c) of the Code of Practice for the Installation of Lifts and Escalators drafted by the Lifts and Escalators Installation Panel appointed in 1931 by the late Advisory Council for the Building Industry to review such legislation as affected the installation of lifts and escalators in buildings and to report on the need for the revision thereof and the form such revision should take.

**TREASURY BILLS**

London, Mar. 27. The total amount applied for in tenders for £40,000,000 Treasury bills was £48,815,000. The average rate per cent for bills at three months was 10/0.23d.—British Wireless.

TANG SHIU-KIN, JOHN BENTLEY, RONALD HONGKONG.

**CORRESPONDENCE****The Government And The Volunteers**

(To The Editor, *Hongkong Telegraph*)

Sir—I regret that both the Commandant of the H.K.V.D.C. and "Old Bill's" "Firstborn" appear to have misunderstood the object of my letter. I was not attacking either the individual keenness, nor the regimental efficiency of the Volunteers—far from it—but the apparent attitude of the Hongkong Government towards them.

Because of the state of the world to-day, in spite of the need for reduction of taxation, Britain is increasing its Service votes. In view of the special position of this Colony, and of what is taking place at our very back door, surely it behoves the Government of this Colony to "look to its Moat!" Even in a time of financial stringency the impression is created that the Government is not particularly interested in its own defence, when the H.K.V.D.C. grant is cut down while in other directions no apparent attempt at economy is made, though to the Man-in-the-Street it would appear not only possible but very desirable.

To put it at its lowest, the Volunteers are a form of insurance. While possibly the mercantile community might manage to scrape along under a foreign flag, the Government Service would certainly be out of a job.

The points I raised in my previous letter were meant to illustrate this apparent apathy of the Government—but in view of what your other correspondents have written, may I repeat I was not criticising the *regimental arrangements* for distribution of food, etc. While these were on a par with those of the Regulars, the latter automatically drew their rations. I have heard definite statements that rations were not allowed for the H.K.V.D.C. and the Commandant's letter appears to bear this out. If this was so, then the food, etc., supplied was paid for either out of regimental funds or by private generosity!

With regard to blankets, I seem to have raised a cloud of fleas about my ears! Lt.-Col. Dowbiggin ridicules the idea of issuing them for one night. I noticed that every party of Regulars I saw appeared to have them—some had small tents as well—so surely it would not have been much coddling the Volunteers if they had been issued. Actually my inference was that there was this difference between Regular and Volunteer equipment because the Government would not provide funds to hire and—distribute them. If I am wrong, I humbly eat dirt—I drink bumbo oil!

"Old Bill's Firstborn" may say that as a keen Volunteer he is prepared to put up with the traditional ingratitude of Governments, but what about Tom Smith and Jack Jones who may be thinking of joining up? They are not going to be encouraged to do so, specially if mobilisation for camp or manoeuvre means loss of civil pay. I conclusion, may I reiterate I am in no way attacking the Volunteers, but that the Government's welding of the Economy Axe over their submissive (?) necks does not suggest an appreciation of the realities of the times.

PRO BONO PUBLICO.

**The Rural Orphanage At Taipo**

Sir.—On Monday next, 30th March, Sir Thomas and Lady Southorn are to plant the first trees in the new Royal Home at Taipo.

A Boys' Orphanage from Kowloon City and part of the Victoria Home (for girls) are being moved out into the country so that the children may grow up qualified for country life rather than town life.

The Home will be organised in units of twelve children who will do all their own work, cooking, etc.

Money for the first building is secured, but we need:

(a) £2,000 for current expenses this year.

(b) £2,500 for building each additional unit, or family home, for twelve children.

We shall welcome all interested in this project at the new site (just North of the 13½ miles stone on the Taipo road) from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Monday, 30th March, and the Treasurer, Mr. J. Bentley of the Union Insurance Society of Canton, Ltd., and Mr. Tang Shiu-kin, 171, Queen's Road, Central, will welcome subscriptions and donations.

TANG SHIU-KIN,  
JOHN BENTLEY,  
RONALD HONGKONG.

**BRITISH UNITED ON POLICY****GOVERNMENT RESUME BRINGS ACCORD**

London, Mar. 27. In political circles there is satisfaction that the House of Commons discussion of the International situation was not further postponed.

The full and remarkably frank statement of the Foreign Secretary last night's debate has made a profound impression in wide circles, and the only important divergence which seemed to arise between the Opposition and the Government—apart from individual disagreement, such as Mr. Lloyd George's on the staff conversations—will disappear, it is believed, when there has been time for consideration of the Chancellor of the Exchequer's speech at the end of the debate.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain denied the suggestion that the Government was subordinating obligations under the Covenant to the Locarno obligations. The League Covenant remained the keystone of the Government's policy and the obligations of the Covenant would apply equally, whether agreement took place in the East or in the West.—British Wireless.

**QUEEN**  
SHOWING TO-DAY At 2.30, 5.15, 7.20 & 9.30.

Stars of Radio Stars of the Screen in Warner Bros. New-Style Musicals!  
**STARS OVER BROADWAY**  
SONGS: "BROADWAY CINDERELLA", "AT YOUR SERVICE MADAM!", "WHEN AM I TO GET MEDIUM?"

NEXT CHANGE  
JOE PENNER JACK OAKIE FRANCES N.Y. SPARKS BETTY GRABLE  
ALL AND MORE IN "COLLEGIALE"  
4 SHOWS DAILY  
At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.

● TO-DAY ONLY ●  
THE BEST PICTURE OF 1935!  
AWARDED FIRST PRIZE BY ACADEMY OF MOTION PICTURE ARTS AND SCIENCES AND ACCLAIMED THE BEST PICTURE OF THE YEAR BY NEW YORK CRITICS!!!

Their love was the flaming crucible that set ablaze a city's mob-mad fury!

The most astounding drama the screen has produced!  
With VICTOR McLAGLEN HEATHER ANGEL PRESTON FOSTER MARGOT GRAHAME Wallace Ford Una O'Connor  
RKO RADIO Picture  
from the novel by Eric Linklater  
Added Attraction: "RAINBOW PARADE" Colour Cartoon.  
SUNDAY AND MONDAY, TWO DAYS ONLY!  
MARION DAVIES and DICK POWELL  
IN "PAGE MISS GLORY"  
A Warner Bros. Picture.

TO-DAY ONLY MAJESTIC THEATRE  
Carl Laemmle presents  
At 2.30, 5.20, 7.20 & 9.20 p.m.

CHARLES BICKFORD in Universal's Amazing Adventure Drama!  
To-morrow: —

FRANCIS LEDERER in "THE GAY DECEPTION"

FINAL 2 DAYS

SINCERE'S SPRING SALE

"SALE" CLOSES ON SUNDAY EVENING

COME AT ONCE!

Printed and Published for the Proprietors by FREDERICK PERCY FRANKLIN, at 1 and 3, Wyndham Street, in the City of Victoria, Hongkong.

**SIX-COMPONENT F: 2.7 PLASMAT**  
**THE CAMERA YOU WANTED!**  
Automatic Focussing By New Combined Range-View Finder  
16 Exposures 1 3/4" x 2 1/4" on Standard Roll Film.  
ALL METAL CONSTRUCTION.  
Sole Agents:  
**HELMUT NOCHT**  
St. GEORGE'S BUILDING, 7, CHATER ROAD.  
**Roland**  
PLASMAT CAMERA

